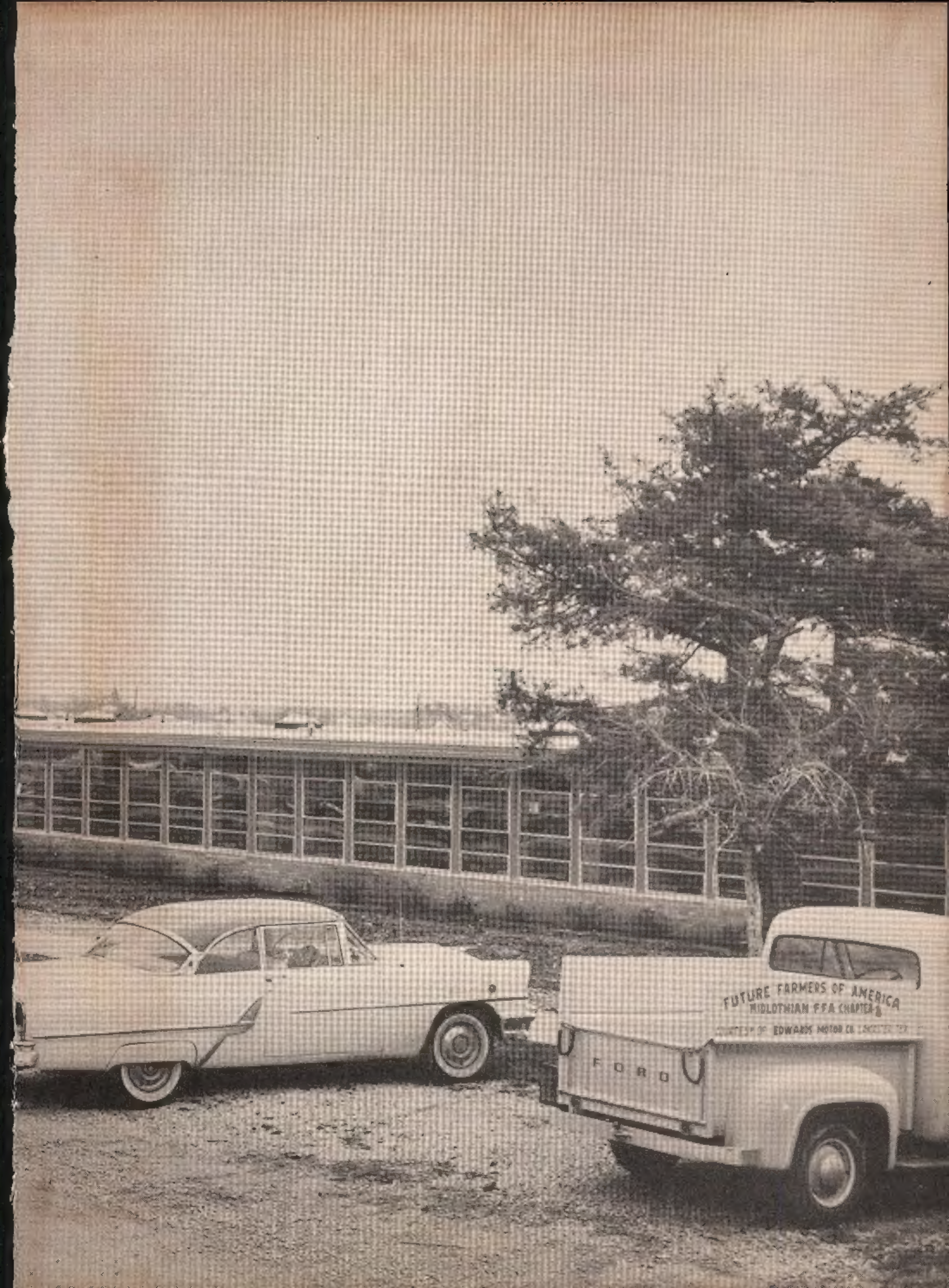


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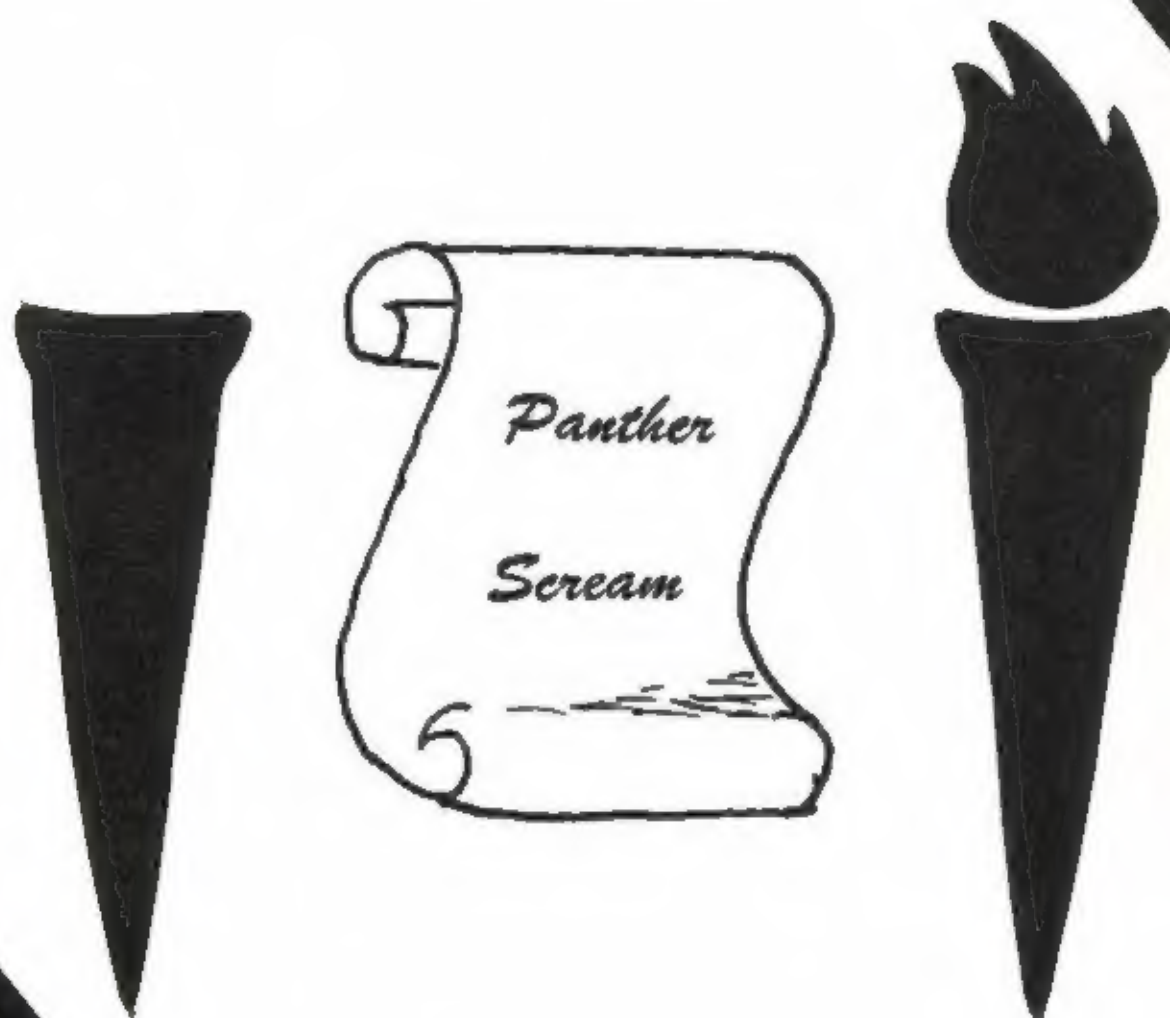


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CHRISTINE REESE, SPONSOR



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Midlothian High School
Midlothian, Texas

To you, the patrons of the Midlothian Public Schools, we dedicate the 1955 edition of the PANTHER SCREAM. Without you it would never have been possible to have opened the doors of this long awaited building, which is the last word in efficiency and convenience.

May we, the Midlothian students, thank you in this small way for making it possible.

Dedication

Administration

Seniors

Juniors

Sophomores

Freshmen

Organizations

Personalities

Activities

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*Exploring
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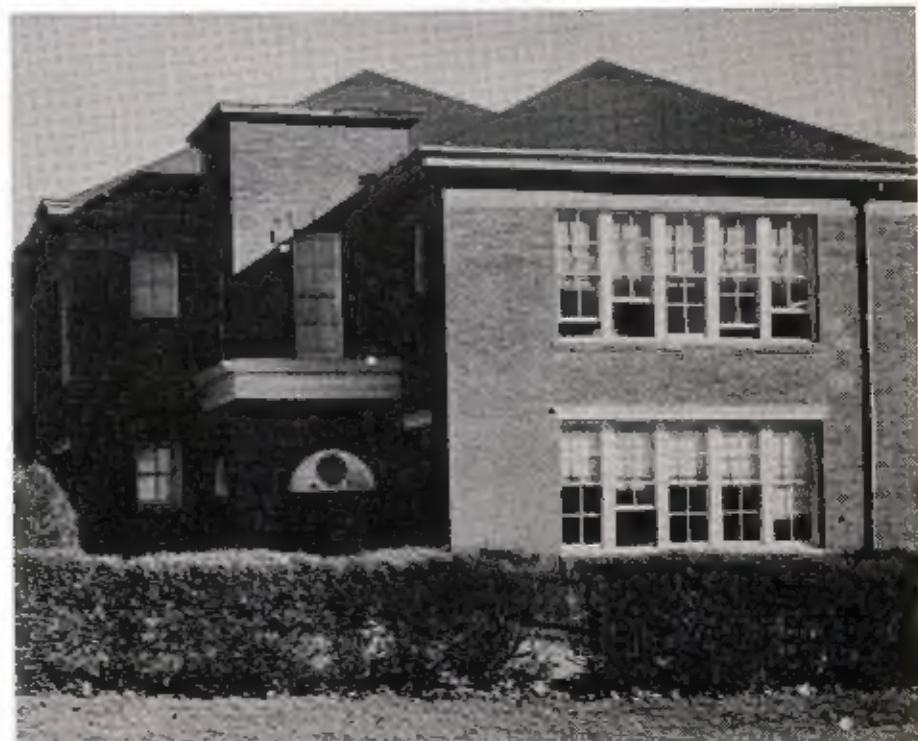
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Time Was...



The Grammar School was built in the middle teens. The first floor was class rooms and the second floor served as an auditorium until Dell Mason Dees was built in 1920.

This building, used as a high school from 1906 until 1955, cost \$15,000. It had nine class rooms, an office, and a library.



In the spring of 1954 the foundation was laid for a \$180,000 building that would serve both grade school and high school students. The grammar school wing was finished in the fall and the high school section was ready for occupancy in January, 1955. This modern building is admired and enjoyed by every youth of Midlothian.

And Now



The School Board



The school board of Midlothian has always been a progressive group of men who have had the advancement of the Midlothian schools at heart. They have furnished the leadership needed to make our school system one of which we are proud. We are sure that during the new building program they had many problems, but as a result of their careful planning, we have one of the most modern buildings in this section of the country.

Our Superintendent



Through intelligent planning and consistent effort, the sponsor of the PANTHER SCREAM, Mrs. Jack Reese, and her able staff have produced for us here a book which is attractive in design and comprehensive in scope.

Across the years, ex-students of Midlothian High School will return to these pages to revive pleasant memories, and to live over again some of the happiest moments of their lives.

To the seniors of 1955 we express warm appreciation and cordial good wishes. It is our sincere hope that your lives may be increasingly meaningful and abundant.

To all the students, faculty, and friends we express deep gratitude for the ways in which you have helped toward the achievement of the basic purposes of Midlothian High School.

With kindest personal regards and best wishes to everyone.

L. A. Mills
Superintendent



EVELYN GANAWAY - a helpful guide and friend in so many ways - pep squad, play director, counselor and teacher.



SYBIL FLOYD - our friendly and helpful secretary in the superintendent's office.



W. K. DENBY - an energetic and enthusiastic science teacher.



ERNEST STINSON - a good athletic director who always upholds good sportsmanship.



CHRISTINE REESE - one who devotes much time to our yearbook as well as to her commercial and English classes.



BLANCHE BECKUM - always ready to help you with your library problems.



RHODA ADAY - makes the homemaker lab a second home for the girls.

F a c u l t y



J.R. IRVIN - a very capable man who gives his whole-hearted interest to the students as a principal and teacher.

JO ANN SCOLES - employs her musical talent in the instruction of our band and choral class.



J.C. PERMENTER - one who has his agriculture work at heart and inspires his boys to do their best.



Snapshots of Interior





Sure it's the right locker?



Freshmen gaze at the Bulletin Board

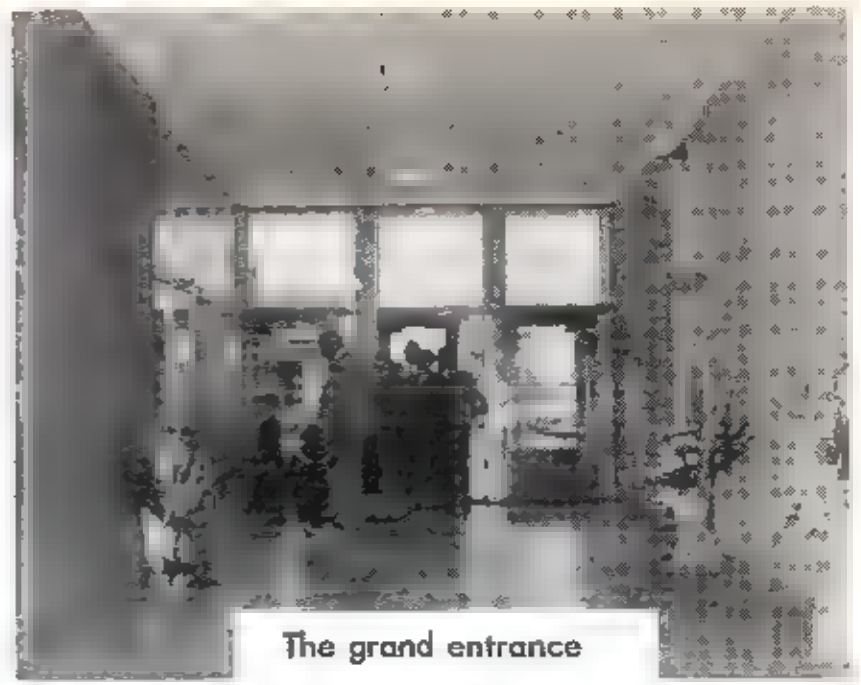


Corridor



New bookroom

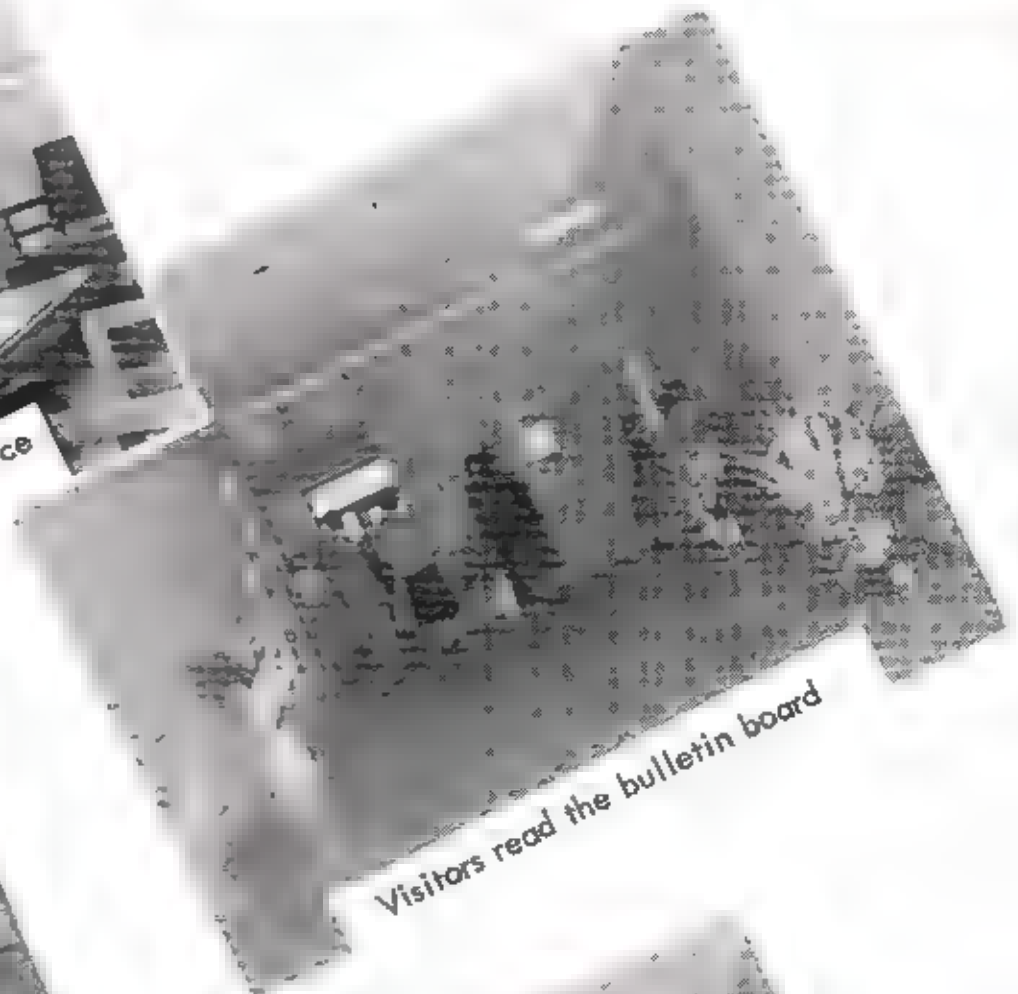
Snapshots of Open House



The grand entrance



Mrs. Floyd shows off the new office



Visitors read the bulletin board



Mrs. Aday and her girls serve refreshments



Children and grown-ups alike visit the school

SENIORS



JOAN ROGERS
President



ALBERT MOORE
Vice-President



BILLY WAYNE HARDER
Reporter



BILLY LAWSON
Secretary-Treasurer



Senior Class Favorites ---- Venita Ward
James Atkins

ROMAN ADAY

"In and out of trouble."

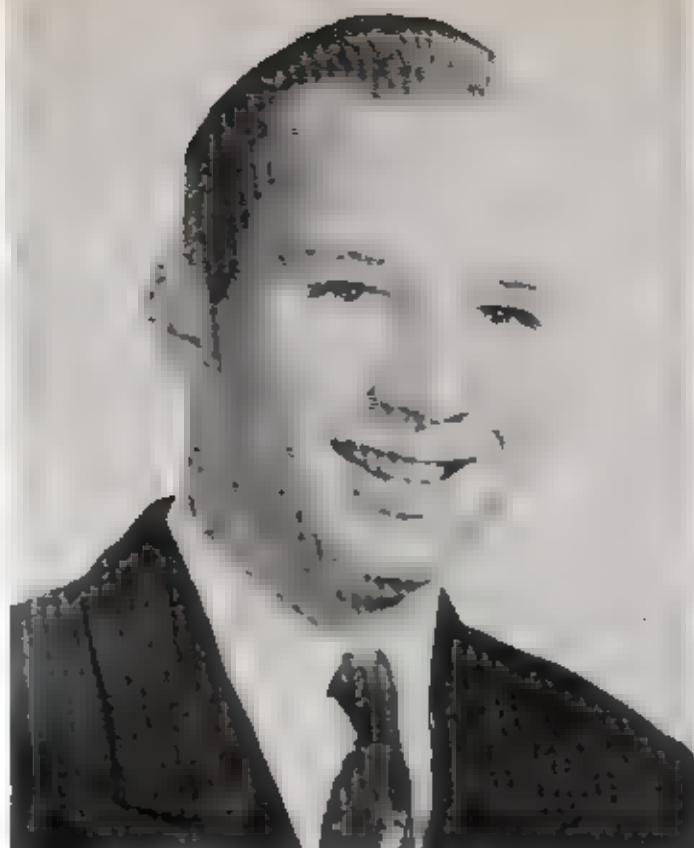
Football letterman 4 years

Football All-District '52-'53, '53-'54

Class Secretary '52-'53

F. F. A. Reporter '52, '53, '54

Lettermen's Club



NORMA AMASON

"Always laughing, always gay."

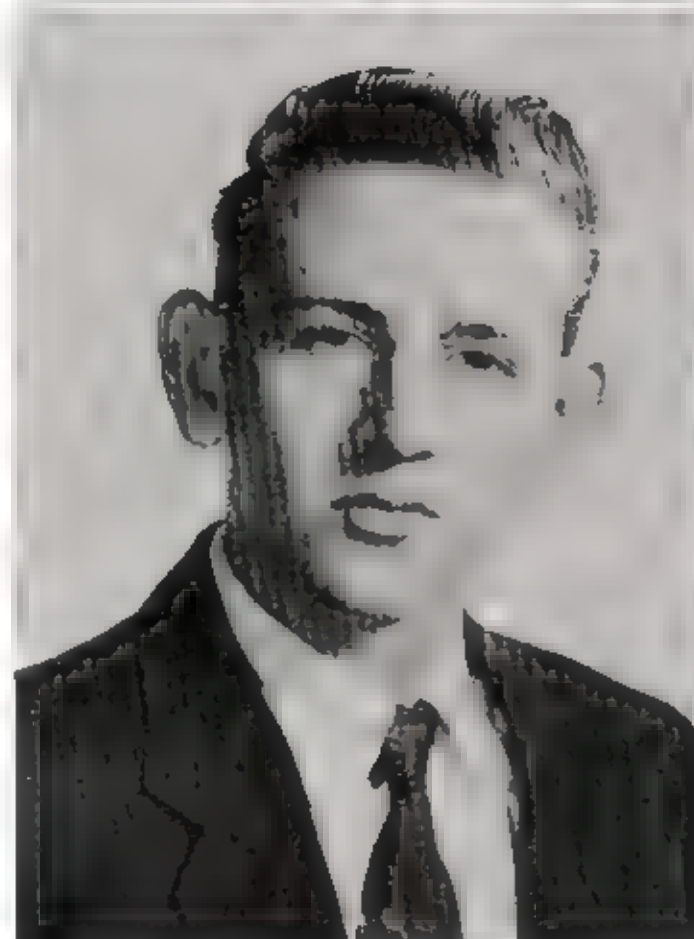
Annual Staff '55

F. H. A. Club '55

Color Guard '55

Commercial Club '55

May Fete Scroll Reader '55



JAMES ATKINS

"Idle, slow and unconcerned."

Class Favorite '54-'55

May Fete King '55

Baseball 3 years

Basketball 2 years

History Club President '55

BERTHA BYRD

"Energetic industrious, and efficient."

Assistant Editor of Annual

Who's Who in Homemaking '54

Junior and Senior Plays

Who's Who in English '55

Betty Crocker Future Homemaker '55



BETTY COLEY

"Happiest when she has the most to do."

Panther Scream Editor

Head Cheerleader '55

Maid of Honor '55 May Fete

Freshman Class Favorite

Basketball 4 years

DAVID COPELAND

"A regular fellow"

F. F. A. Club

Football 1 year

History Club



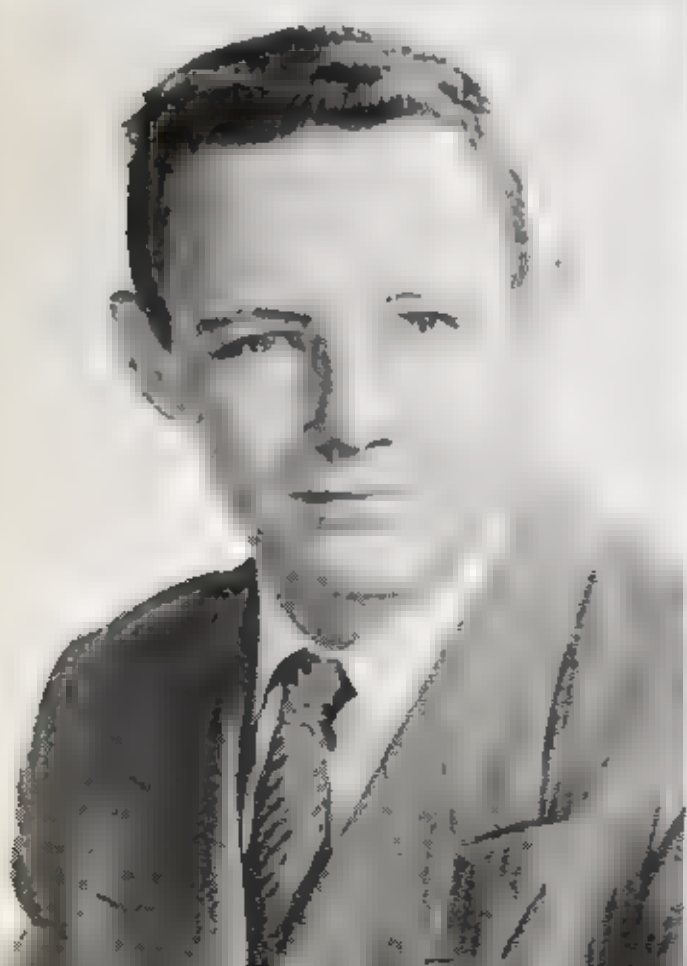
JANNIS EDWARDS
"Sparkling eyes and crystal
laughter."
Lady In Waiting '55 May Fete
Cheerleader '55
F. F. A. Sweetheart '53-'54
Class Sec.-Treas. '53-'54
Commercial Club Pres. '54-'55

JIMMIE GILBERT
"Corny guy--with a wit of his own."
Junior Class Favorite
Basketball letterman 4 years
Baseball letterman 3 years
Junior and Senior Plays
Lettermen's Club



EVELYN GRIGSBY
"Beauty with the big brown eyes."
Drum Majorette '55
Homemaking Vice-Pres. '53-'54
F. F. A. Sweetheart Runner-Up
Junior and Senior Plays
Annual Staff 3 years

BILLY WAYNE HARDER
"Blessed with a keen sense of
humor."
Football letterman 4 years
All-District Football '53
Tri-Capt. Football '54-'55
Class Favorite '52
Junior Play

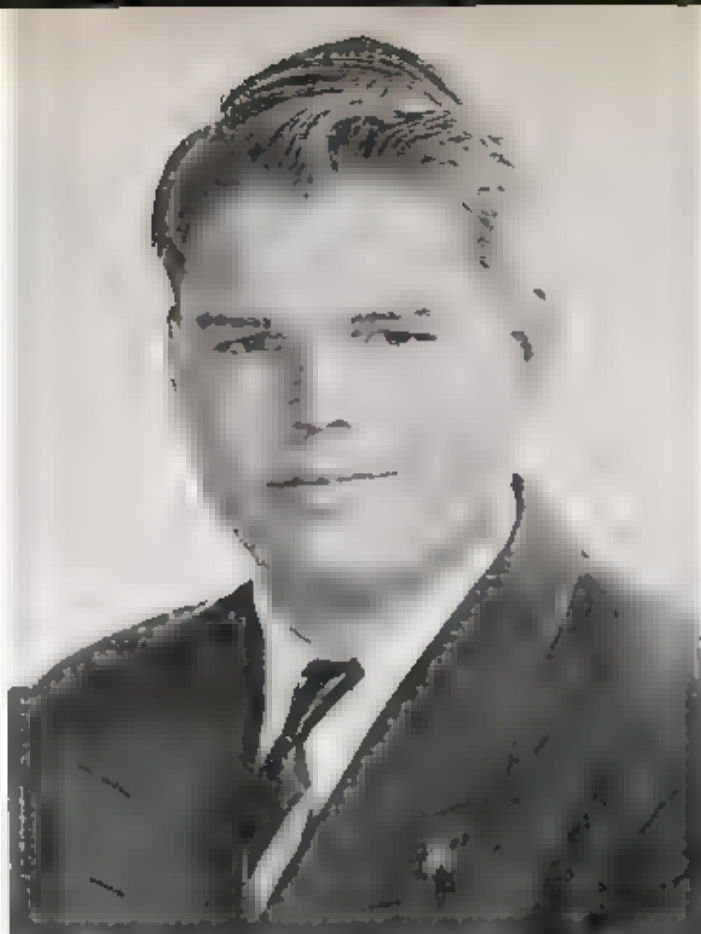


PAUL HAWKINS
"Has brains but hides them."
F. F. A. 3 years
History Club
Duke '54 May Fete
Junior and Senior Plays

LANIS ISOM
"A thoroughly likeable and
admirable fellow."

BURL KELLER

"The quiet but friendly type."
Master of Ceremonies - Senior Play



BILLY LAWSON

"Always happy to be doing his share."
Annual Staff '54-'55
Class Officer '53-'54-'55
Baseball 3 years
Basketball 2 years
A.S.C. Representative '55

G. W. MANIS

"A good leader with an excellent
personality."
All Around Boy '55
Football Letterman 4 years
Tri-Capt. '54, All-Dist. '53, '54
Basketball 2 years, Capt. '55
Who's Who In Sports '54, '55

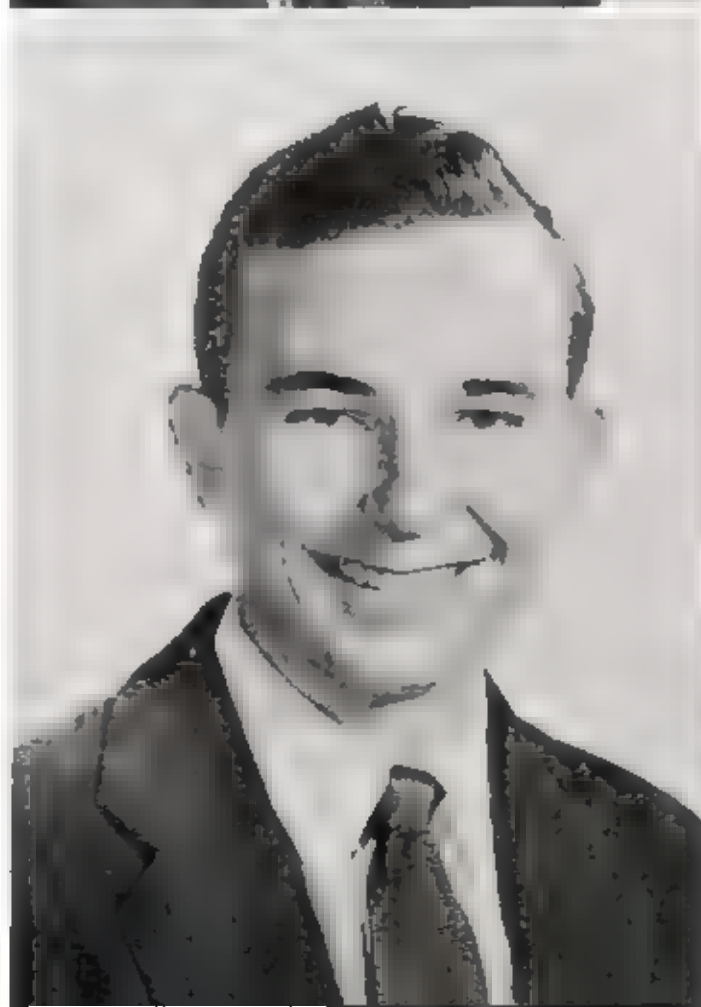


VIRGINIA McELROY

"Cute blond with a sense of humor."
Majorette 4 years
Basketball 3 years
A.S.C. Representative '55
Annual Staff '55
Commercial Club

ALBERT MOORE

"Always bubbling over with good will
and friendliness."
Senior Vice-President
Freshman Class Favorite
F.F.A. Treasurer '53, '55, Vice Pres. '54
History Club Secretary-Treasurer '55
Annual Staff



JOYCE MORRIS

"Does many things well."
Duchess '55 May Fete
Annual Staff
Vice-President Commercial Club '55
Who's Who in Math '53, '54
Pep Squad Flag Bearer '54



JOAN ROGERS
 "Gay and fun loving."
 Lady-in-Waiting '55 May Fete
 Senior Play
 Head Drum Major 3 years
 Cheerleader '54-'55
 Duchess '54 May Fete



WAYNE SIBLEY
 "Beams, except at thoughts of tests."
 Junior & Senior Plays
 Baseball Letterman 3 years
 Basketball Letterman 3 years
 F.F.A. Club 4 years
 F.H.A. Hero '54



KEITH SMITH
 "Has a keen sense of responsibility."
 F.F.A. Club 4 years
 History Club '55
 Duke '55 May Fete
 Junior and Senior Plays
 Who's Who In Agriculture



SHIRLEY SPRINGER
 "Short and Sweet."
 Cheerleader '54-'55
 Sophomore Class Favorite
 Annual Staff '55
 Commercial Club
 F.H.A. Club Officer '54



VENITA WARD
 "A constant source of pleasure and fun."
 May Queen '55
 Cheerleader '54-'55
 Senior Class Favorite
 Annual Staff
 Commercial Club Secretary



LINDA WEST
 "Activity minded with brains to boot."
 F.F.A. Sweetheart '55
 Basketball 4 years
 Annual Staff '55
 Junior and Senior Plays
 Pep-Squad Color Guard '55

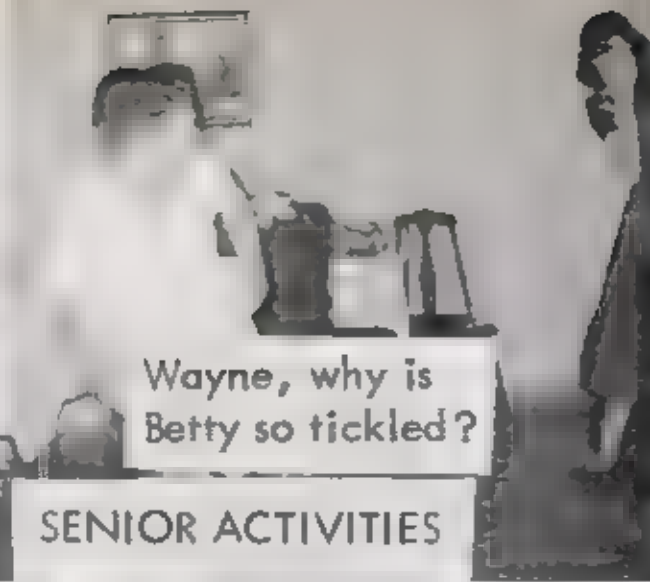


Graduating Class of 1955

Left to right: Joan Rogers, Jannis Edwards, Evelyn Grigsby, Roman Aday, Billy Harder, Lanis Isom, Jimmie Gilbert, Paul Hawkins, Albert Moore, Evelyn Ganaway, Sponsor; Roy Irvin, Principal; Joyce Morris, Linda West, Betty Coley, Bertha Byrd, Venita Ward, Norma Amason, L. A. Mills, Superintendent and Sponsor; Virginia McElroy, Wayne Sibley, David Copeland, Shirley Springer, James Atkins, Billy Lawson, G. W. Manis, Keith Smith, Burl Keller.

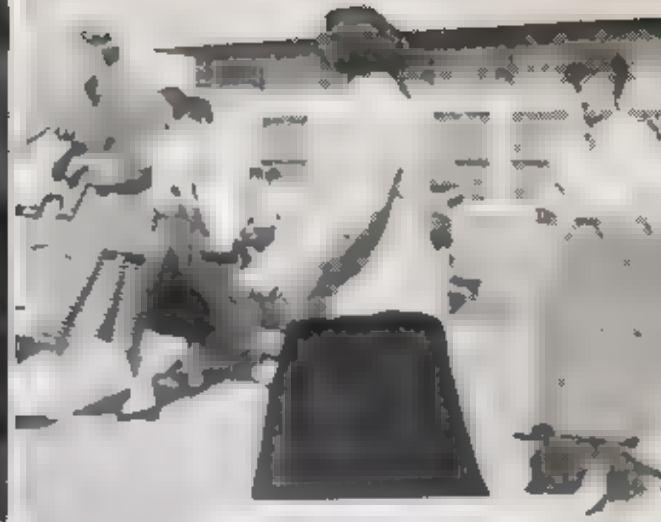


That's seniors?

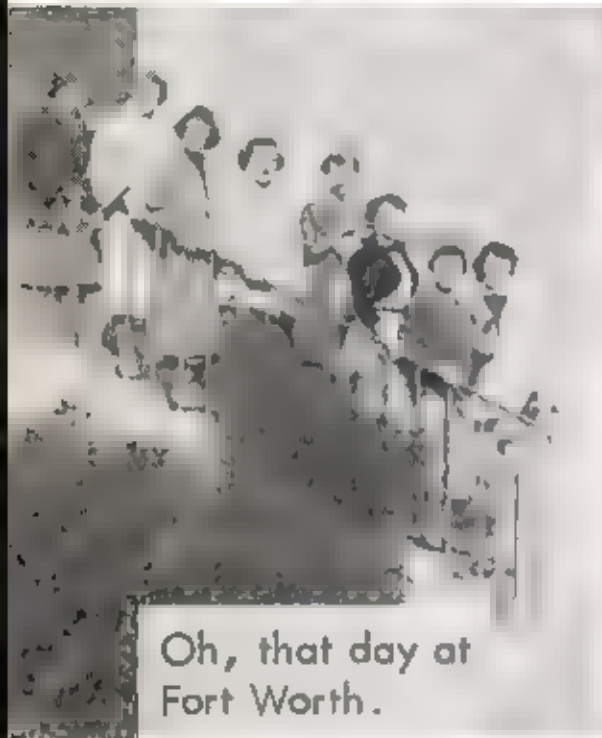


Wayne, why is Betty so tickled?

SENIOR ACTIVITIES



Joyce, don't try to hog the camera.



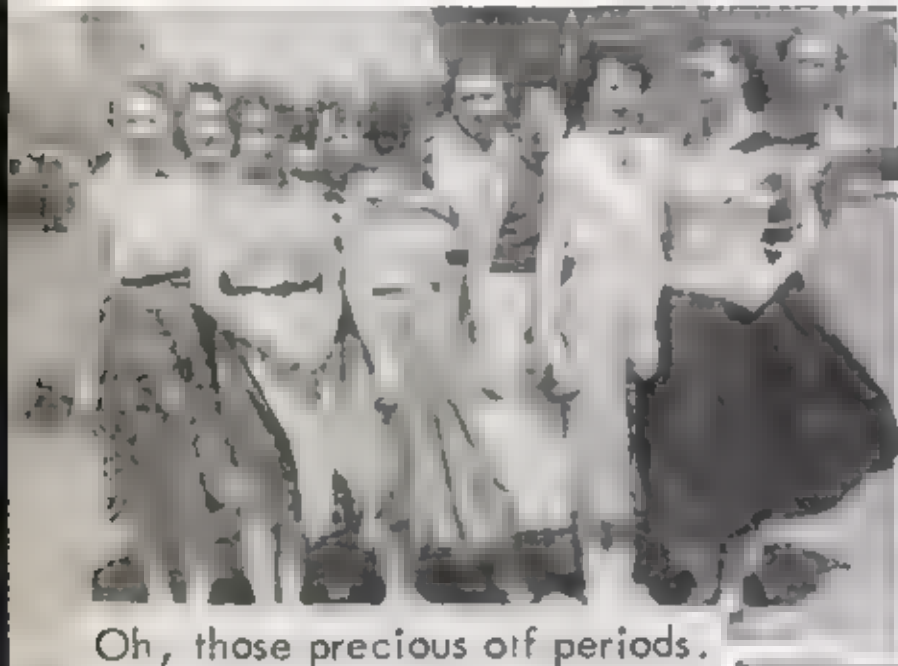
Oh, that day at Fort Worth.



Senior class party?



Roman, is that the Bop?



Oh, those precious off periods.



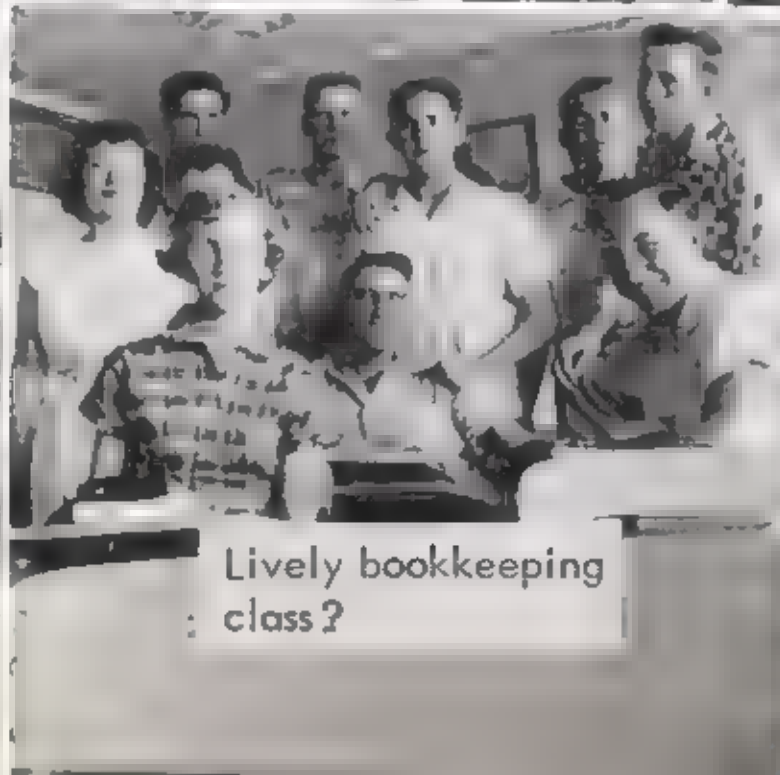
They're not in our class!



You're out-numbered, boy



Hurry girls, it's time for the bell!

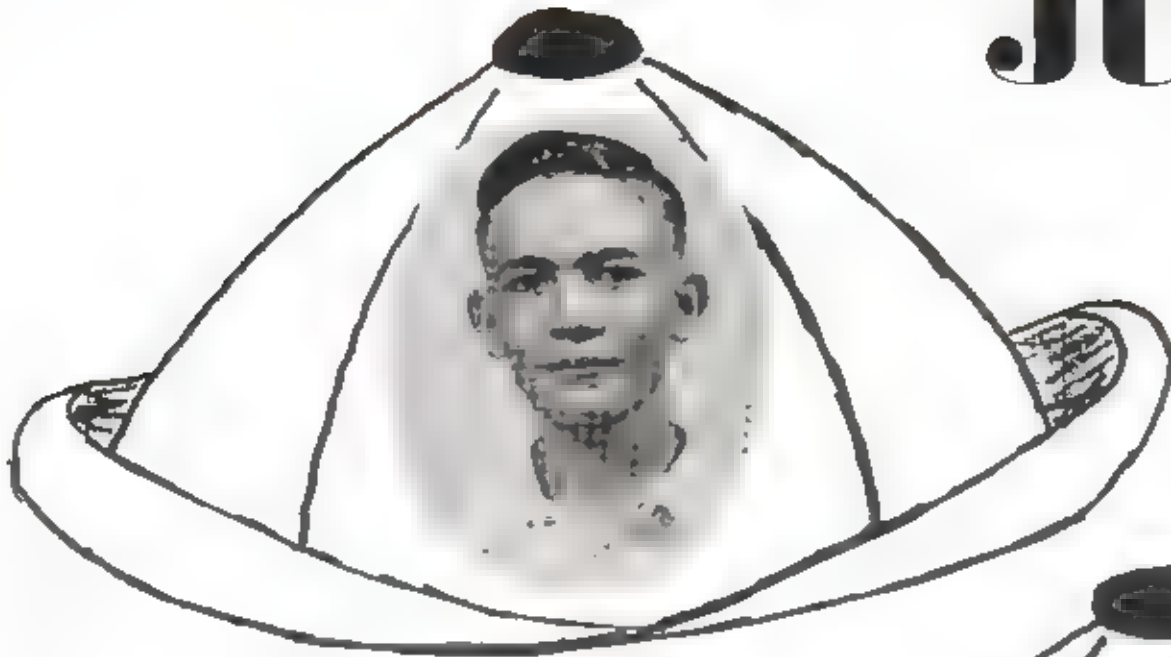


Lively bookkeeping class?



Senior lovers.

JUNIORS



Kenneth Reed
President



Carolyn McAlpin
Vice-President



R. O. Wilson
Secretary-Treasurer



Hallum Brown
Reporter



Junior Class Favorites ----- Joyce Mitchell
Jerry Spillers

Betty Armstrong

Linda Ballard



Hallum Brown

Juanice Burleson



Jerry Don Cavender

Joyce Cavender



Jo Ann Curts

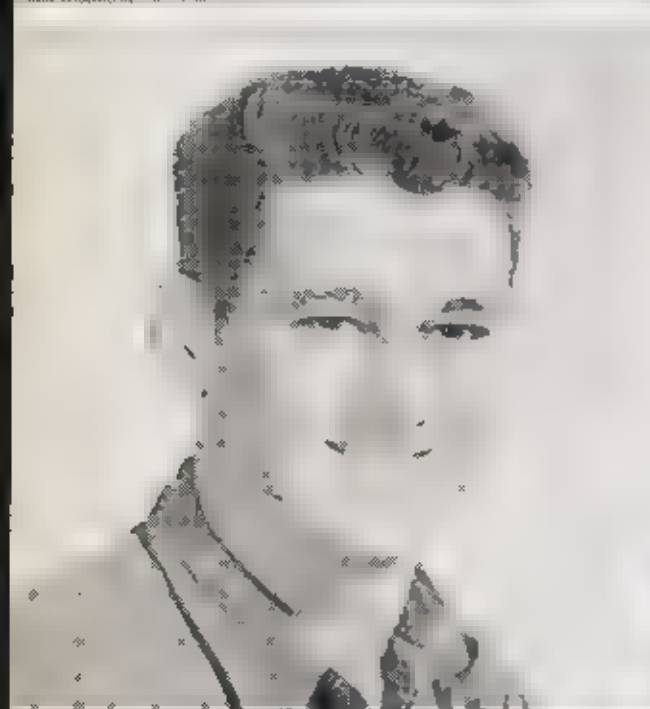




Barbara Dobbs



Donald Edwards



Donald Floyd



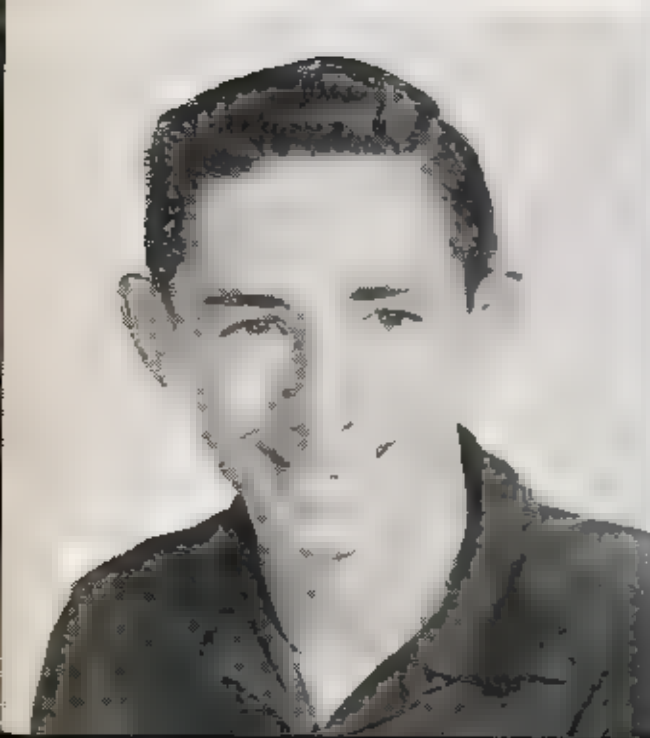
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Catherine Gray



Roland Green



Edwin Howard



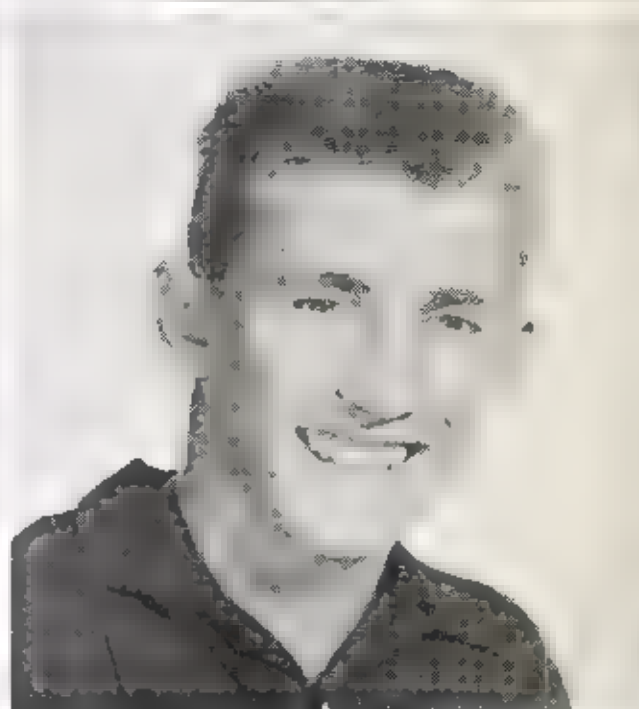
Gerald Isom

Patsy Keller



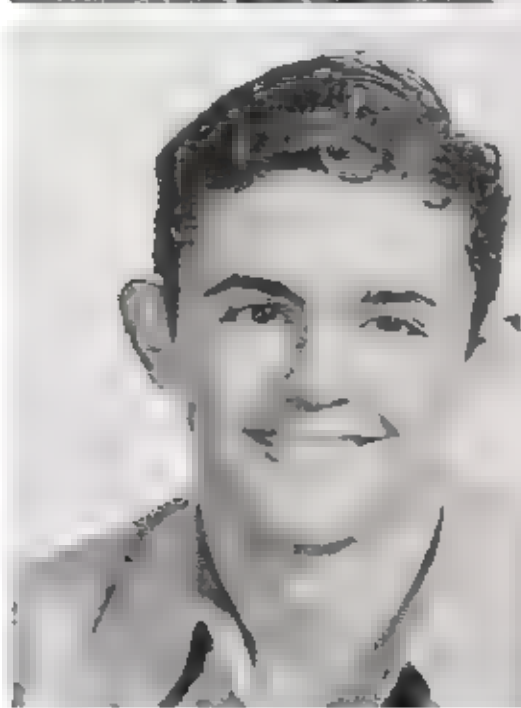
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Kenneth Lundberg

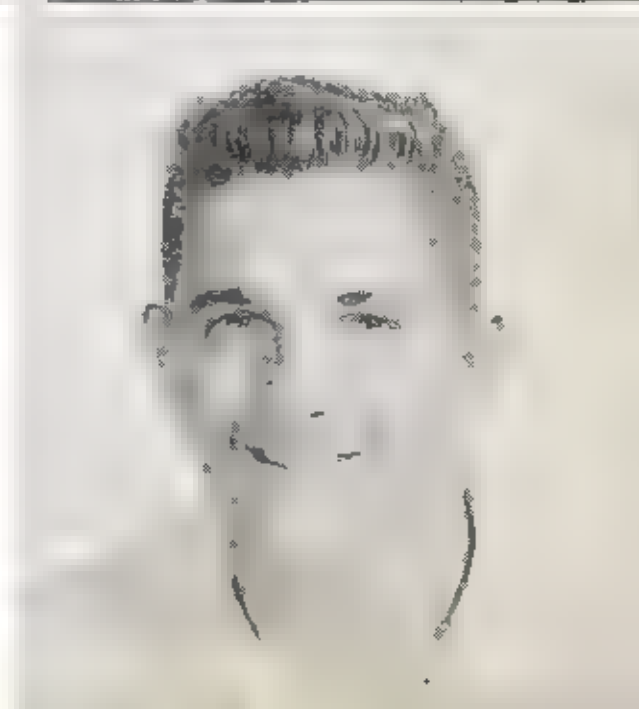


Albert Manis

Carolyn McAlpin

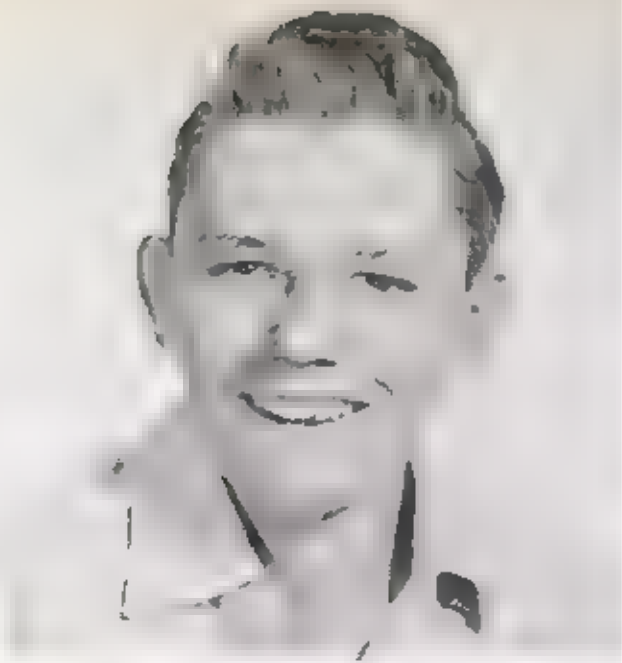


Doyle McDonald





Mary Frances McDonald



David McMillion



Joyce Mitchell



Patsy Mitchell



Gordon Moore



Kenneth Reed



Doris Sheppard



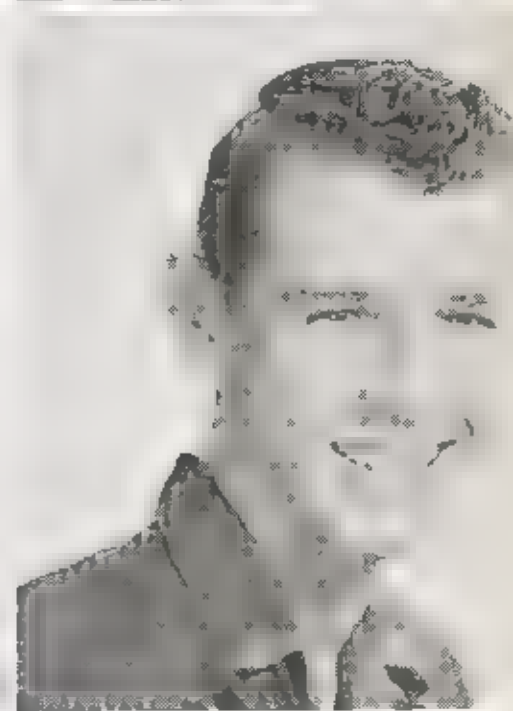
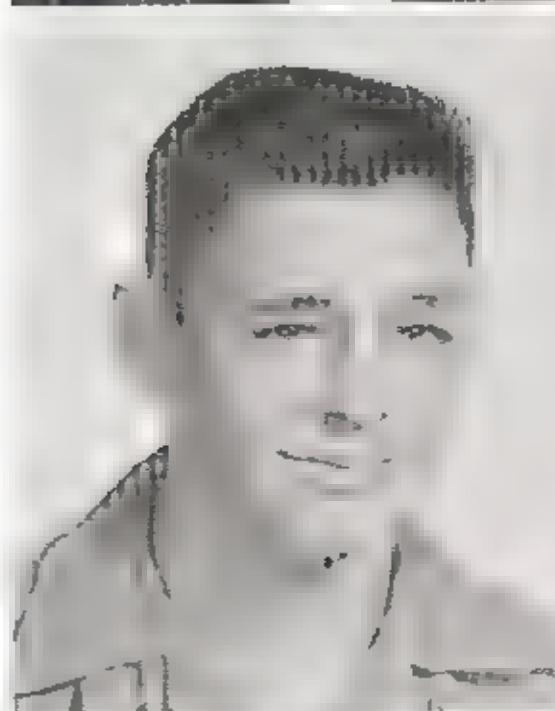
Jerry Spillers

Norma Warner



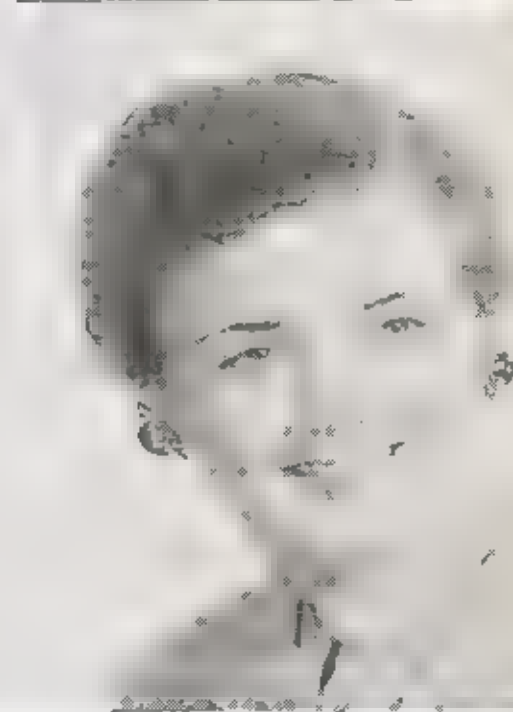
Lester Watkins

Wayne West



R. O. Wilson

Lavon Wooten





Girls do you eat all the time?



Watch out Carolyn!



Barbara, where's Johnny?



Pretty pose.



Joyce!?



Smile!!



Well Well!!



Don't get wet girls.



Wow!!



Bop??



Posing??



Four stooges!!!



Sleeping beauties.



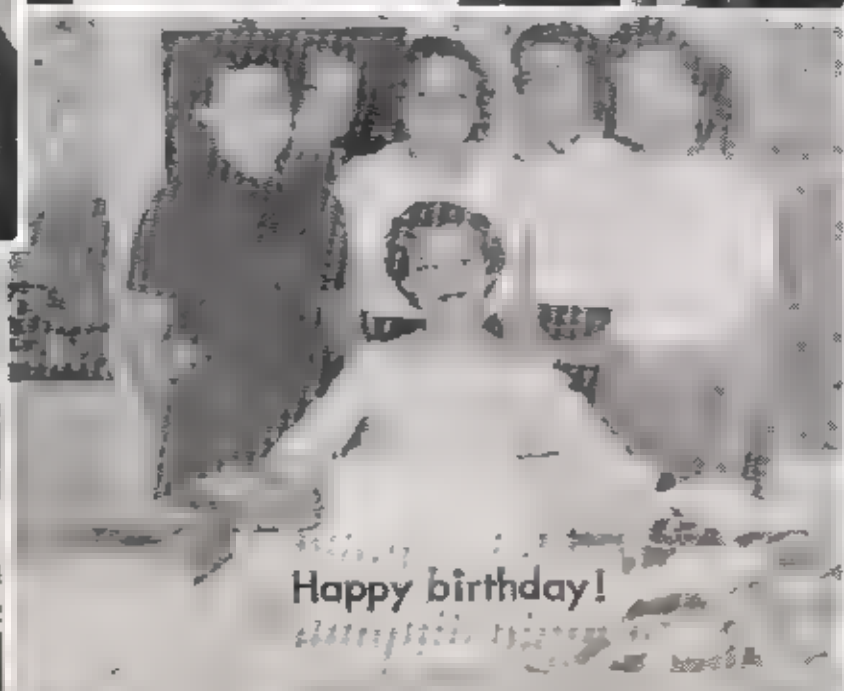
Pretty ring Lavon.



Going somewhere??



Tired??



Happy birthday!



Well now!!

SOPHOMORES



Martha Jean Williams
President



Jane Cavender
Vice-President



Sharon Teague
Secretary-Treasurer



Boyce Petty
Reporter



Sophomore Favorites ----- Martha Jean Williams
Boyce Petty

Danny Allen

Jane Cavender

Martha Chapman



Suzanne DeGrand

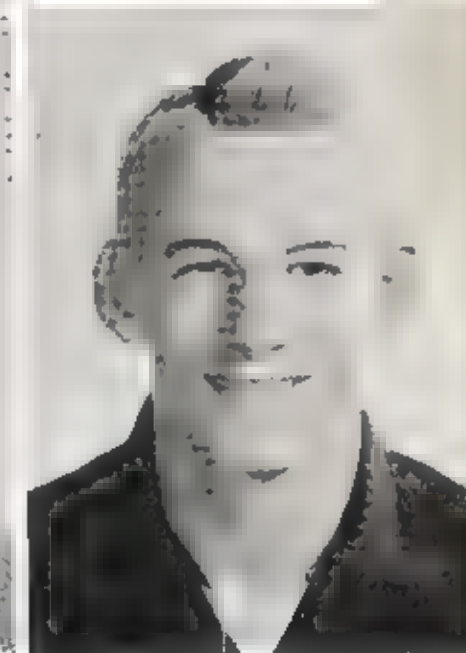
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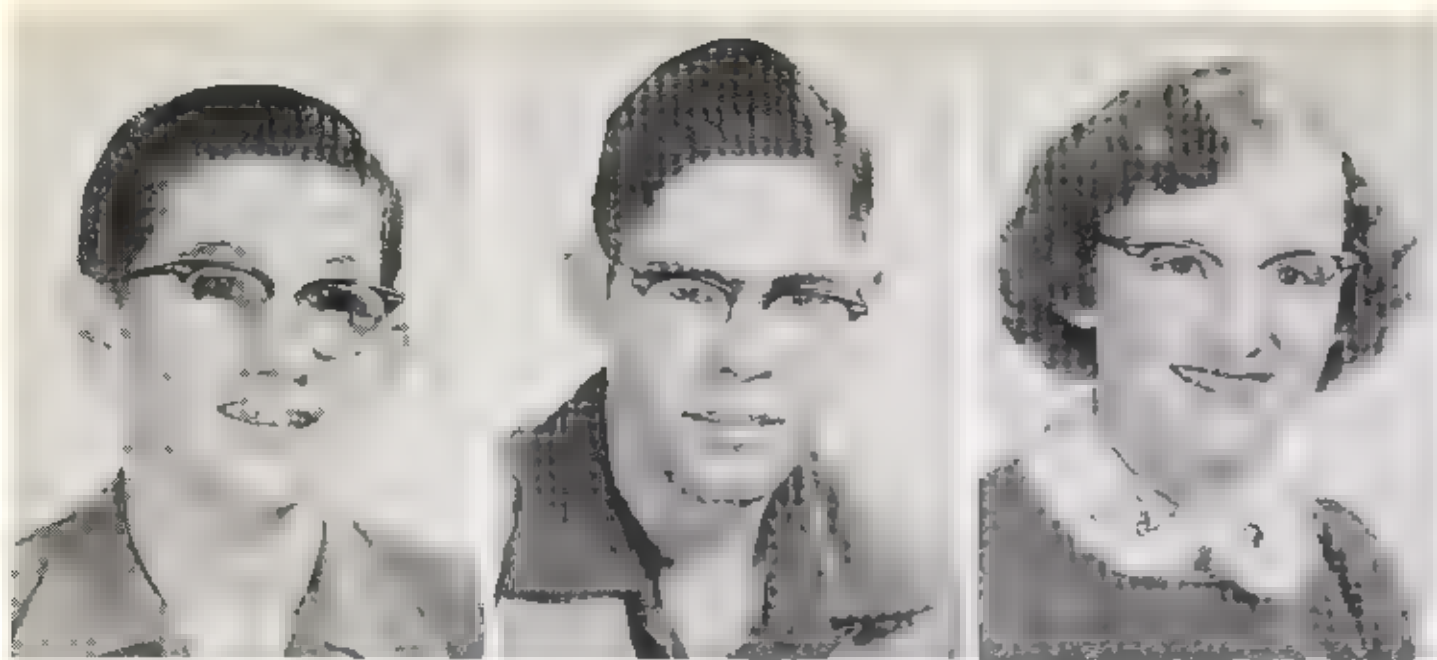
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Richard English

Jon Few

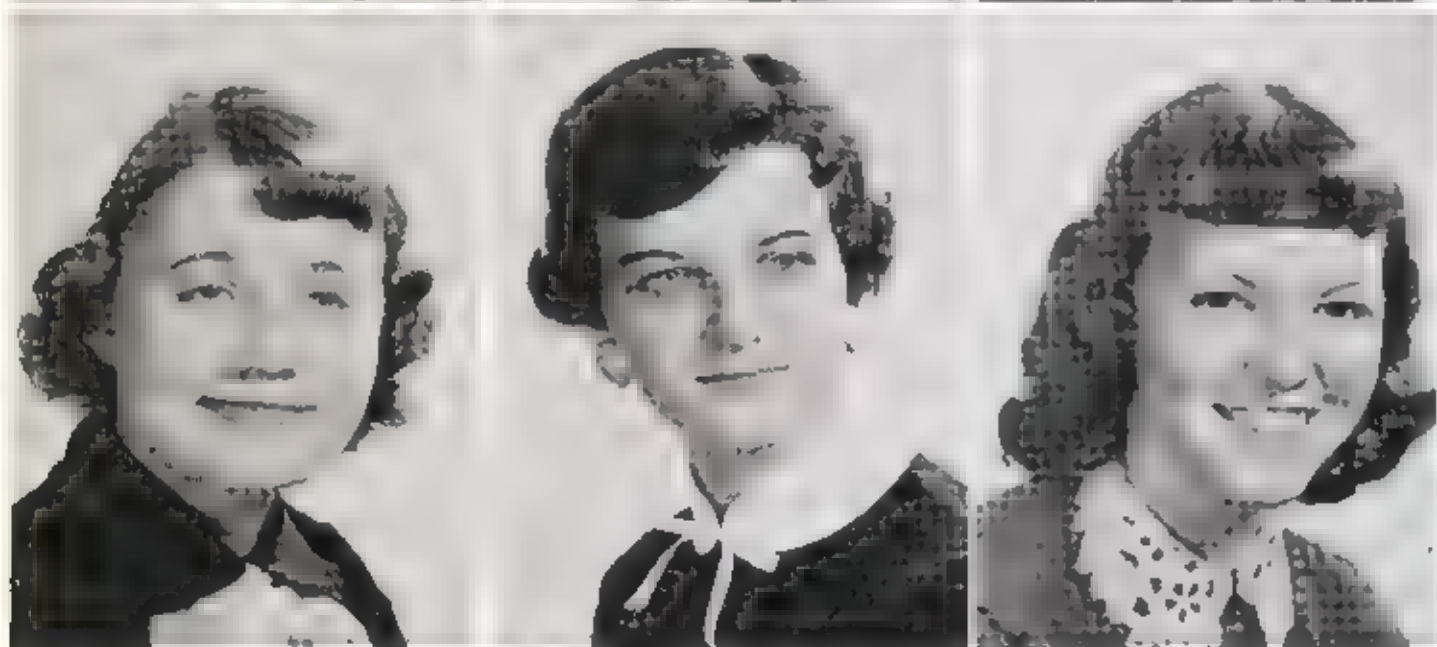




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Joe Forbes

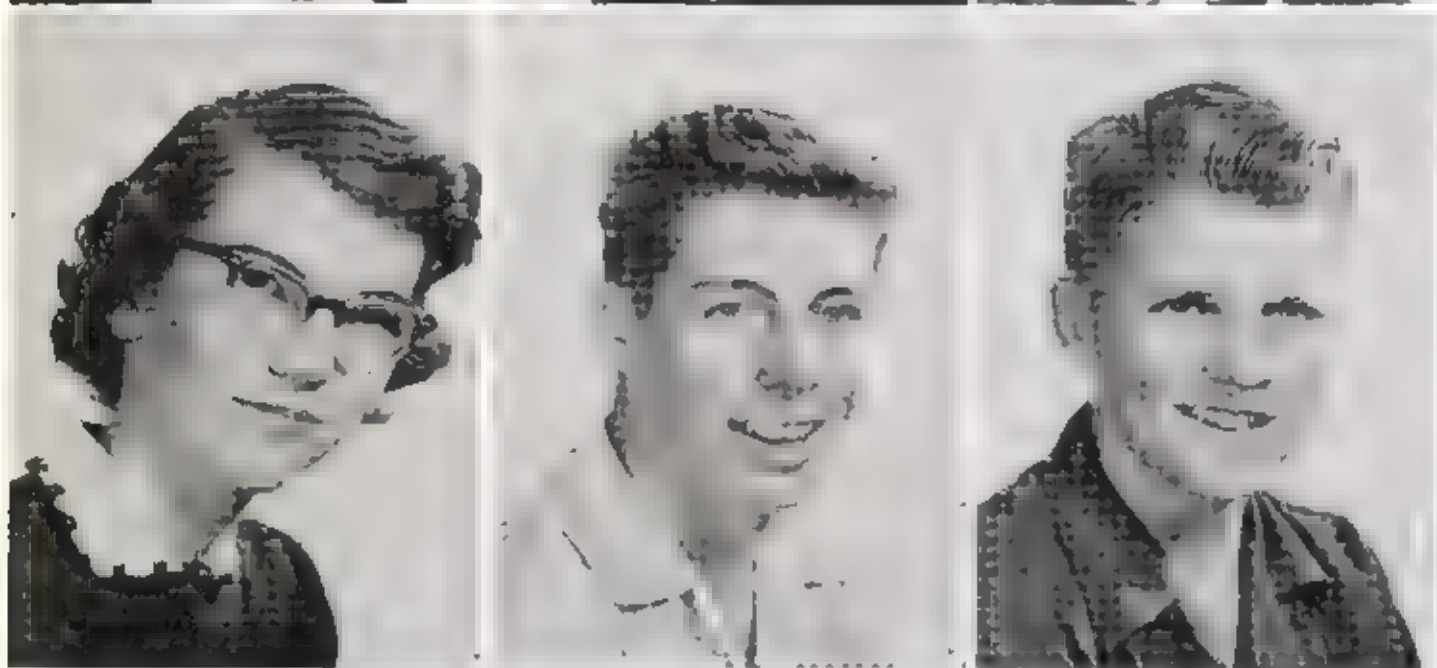
Betty Joy Jenkins



Patsy Jones

Karen Hamric

Mary Lou Harrington



Judy Hollabough

Kenneth Holveck

Milton Kuykendall



Claudette Martin

Boyce Petty

Jimmy Pinkerton



Alice Faye Swearengen

Sharon Teague

Jerry Weatherford



Bobby West

Charles Williams

Martha Jean Williams





Look mom??



Pet Pig?



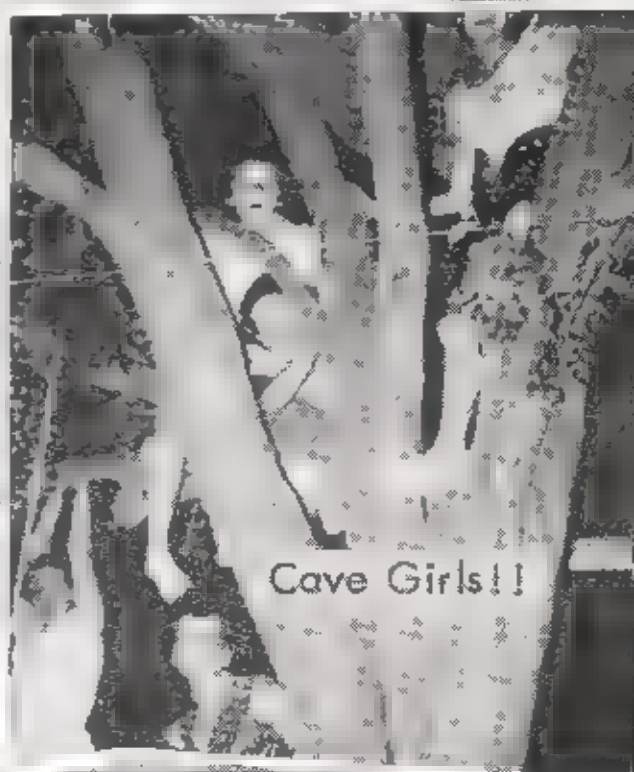
Sophomores??



Traveling??



Swing girls



Cave Girls!!



No Comment!!



Look!!



Sewing girls??



Nice dog



Sitting pretty



Be careful!!

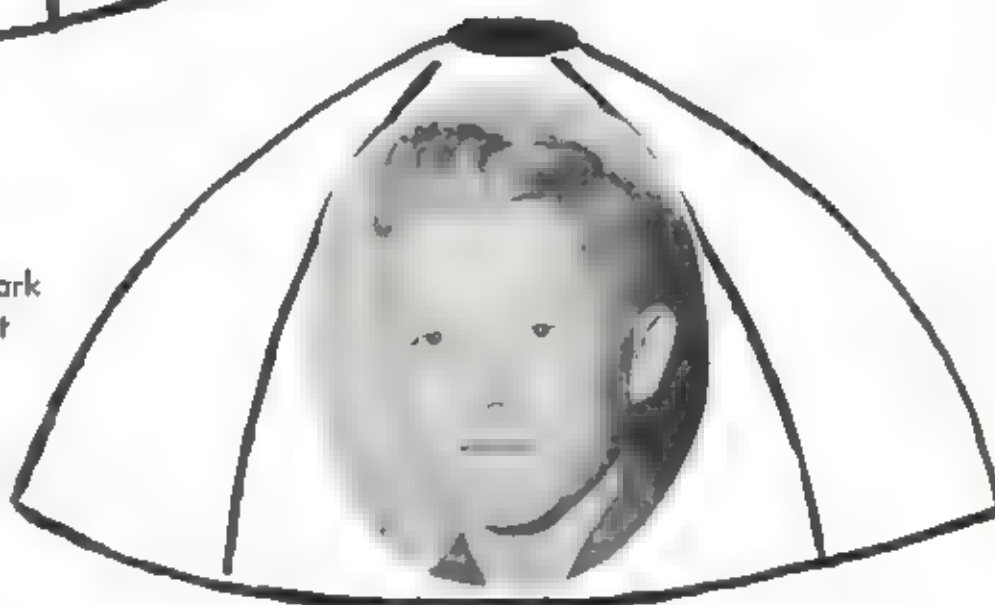


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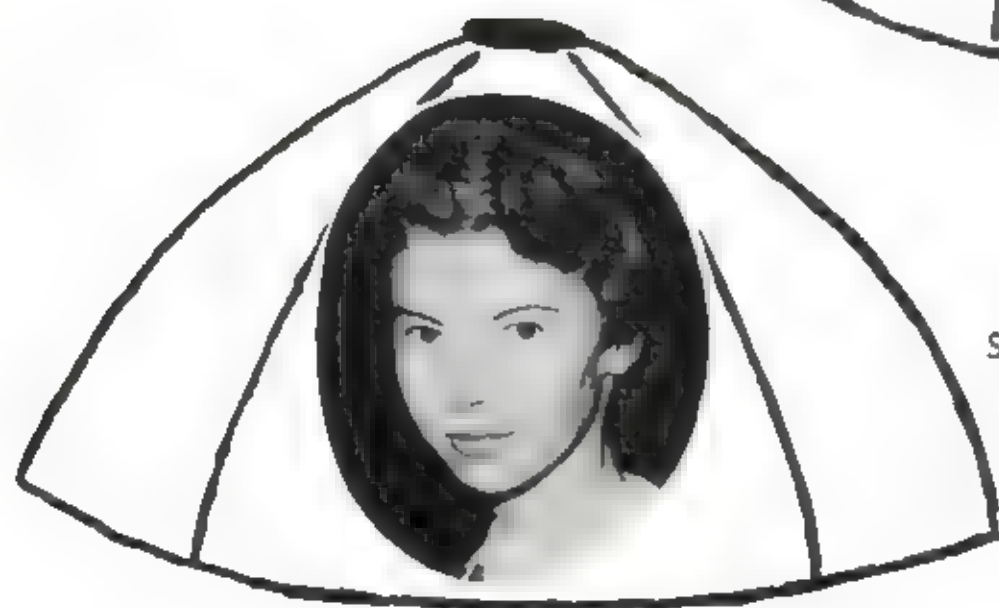
FRESHMEN



Joe Youngblood
President



John Charles Clark
Vice-President



Nancy Bridges
Secretary-Treasurer



Olive Lee Hedgepeth
Reporter



Freshman Class Favorites ----

Hattie Maud Ward
Edwin Weatherford

Edna Alsup

Joseph Barksdale

Rosine Bearden



Nancy Bridges

Janice Buster

Carlos Chapa



Marie Chapa

John Charles Clark

Charles Ray Coil



Louie Dwaine Coley

Roland Cope

Joe Andrew Davis



Jerry Tom Eastwood

Virginia Beth Edwards

Audrey Mae Farmer





Betty Jean Farmer

Bobby Harrington

Olive Lee Hedgepeth



Nancy Hica

Nancy Holmes

John Al Holveck



Billy Isom

Sylvia Jones

Bobby Jack Lawson



Elvadine Lawson

Martha Ann McCarty

Jean McCrary



James McDonald

Shirley McElroy

Wayne McLemore

Helen Marie McMillion

Patricia Mitchell

Eugene Pogue



Joyce Powell

Elaine Pryor

Carolyn Pressnell



Barbara Reese

Mary Louise Riddels

James Salter



David Spencer

Wanda Skipper

Sonja Teague

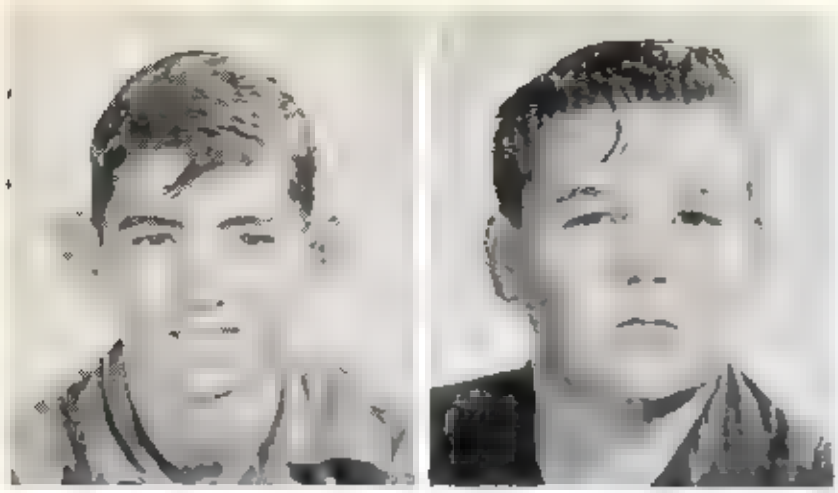


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Kenneth Warner

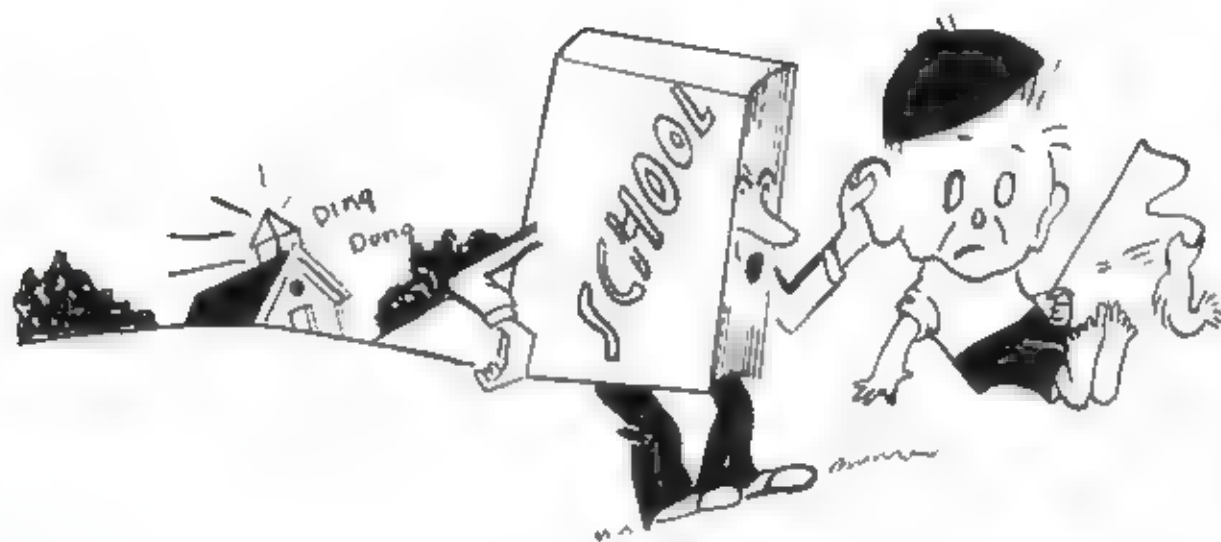
Edwin Weatherford





Lester Gerald Williams

Joe Wayne Youngblood





Sitting pretty



Little girls??



3 stooges?



This way!!



Bathing beauty?



Going somewhere??



Some tree...



Nancy??



Swimming pool??



Hello!



Now what??



Some boys!!!

Are you cold??



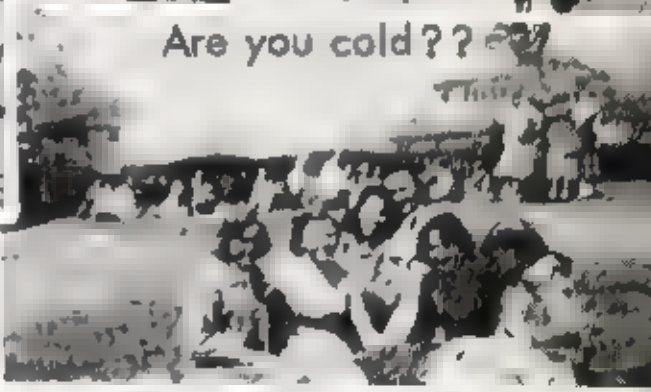
Tire



Open
your
eyes
Gwynn



Big feet?



All freshmen??



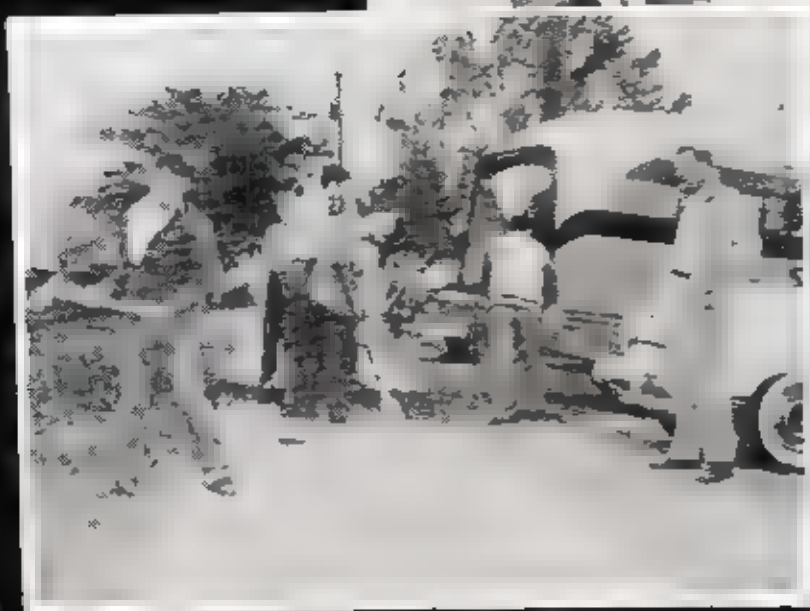
What is it??



This way Rosine

AUTOGRAPHS

ORGANIZATIONS



Any annual is a monument to the students and anyone else that has a part in any of the school year. It is the result of the combined efforts of patrons who advertise, friends who encourage, and students who show their interest. The staff is very proud to present the 1955 edition of the PANTHER SCREAM. We hope that you will like and enjoy this book very much. I would like to say that every member of the staff has willingly done his best. Our sponsor, Christine Reese, has given her untiring efforts to help make this book what it is. As the years go by, I hope you will cherish this book more and more and that it will bring back some of the wonderful memories of your high school days.

THE EDITOR

A n n u a l



Betty Coley
Editor



Christine Reese
Sponsor



Work's just begun for
Dub and Billy



Snap-shot, representatives at work



Bertha Byrd
Assistant Editor

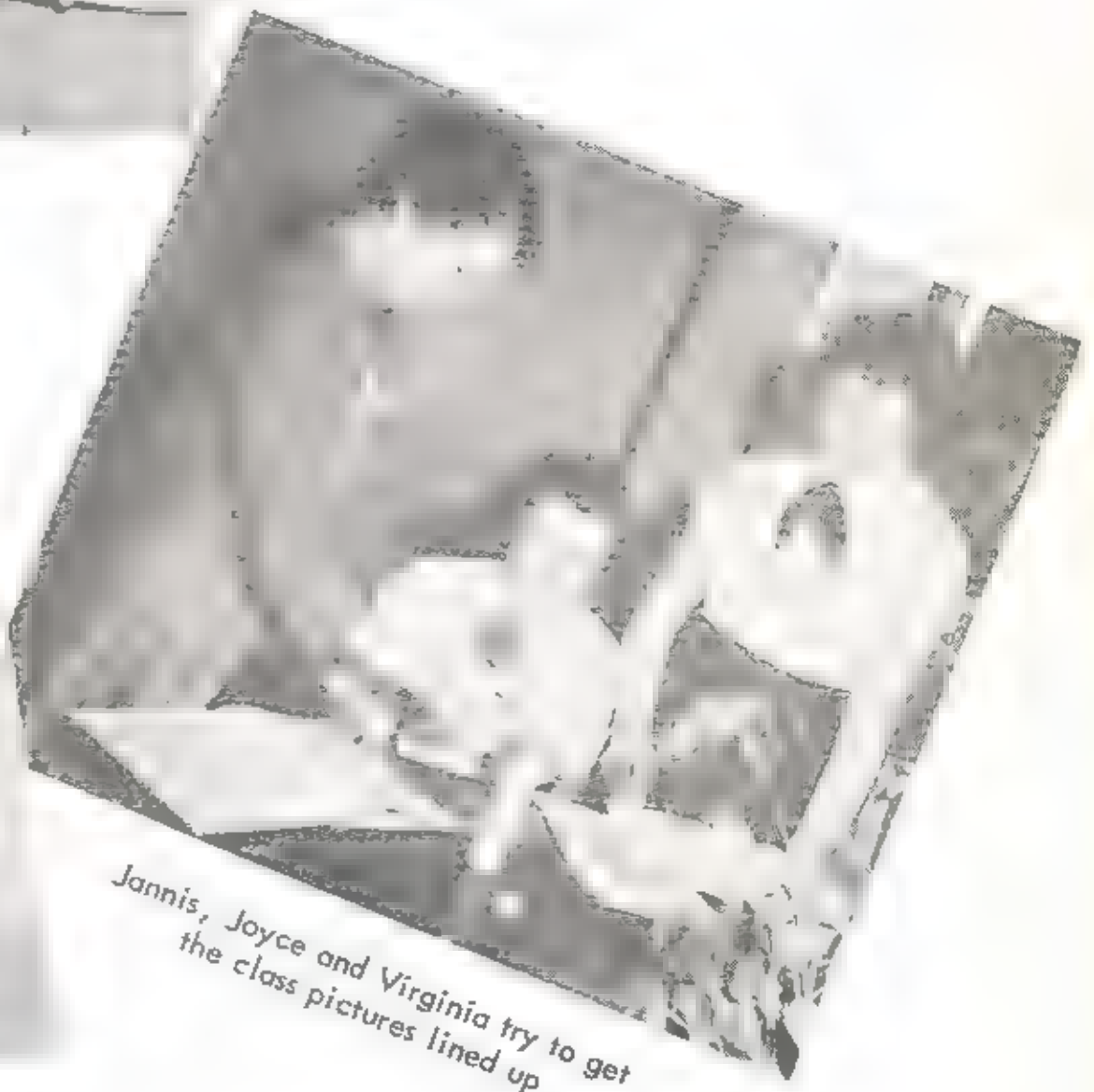
Staff



Jo Ann and Albert plan
the ad section



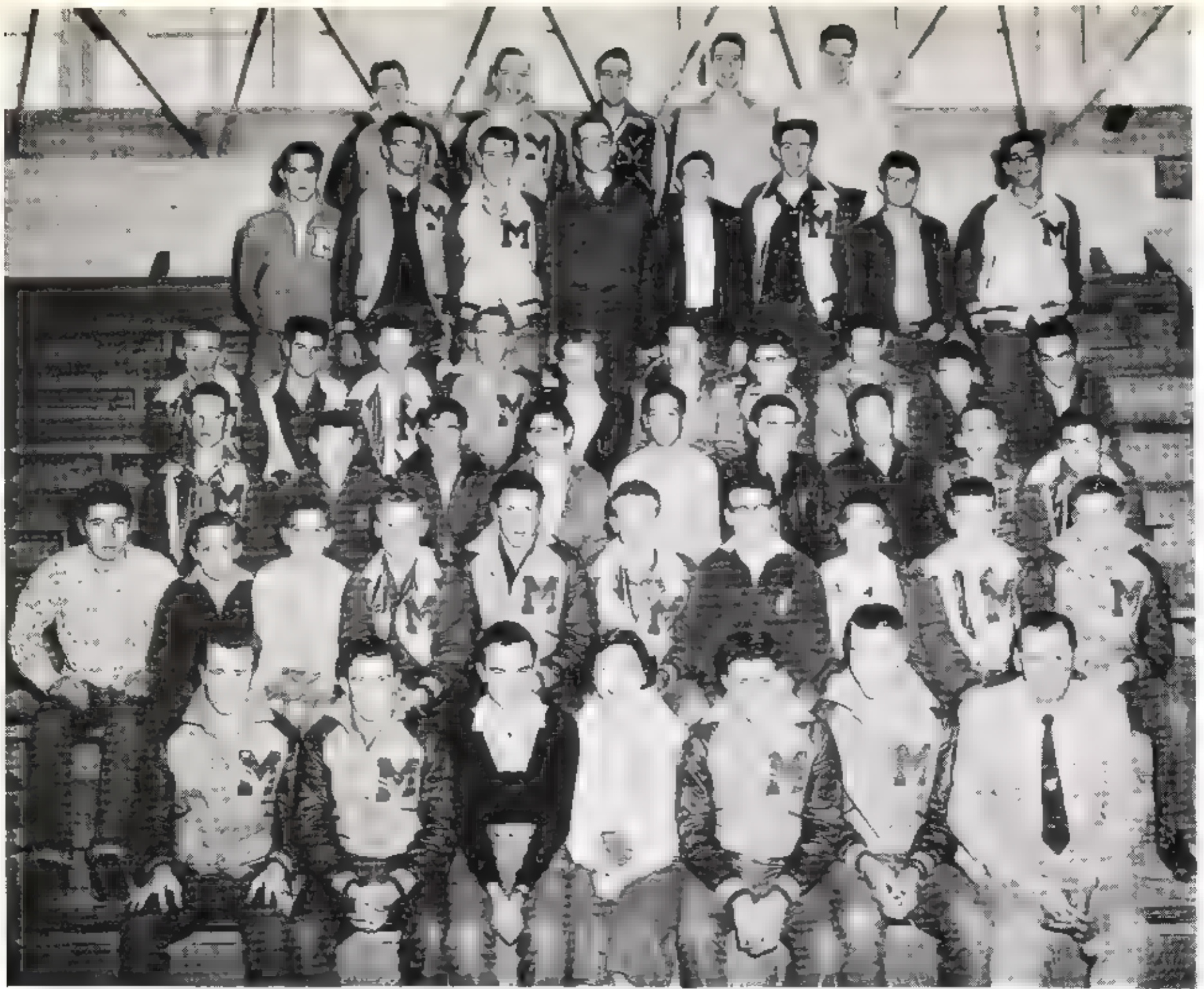
Linda and Shirley work hard



Jannis, Joyce and Virginia try to get
the class pictures lined up



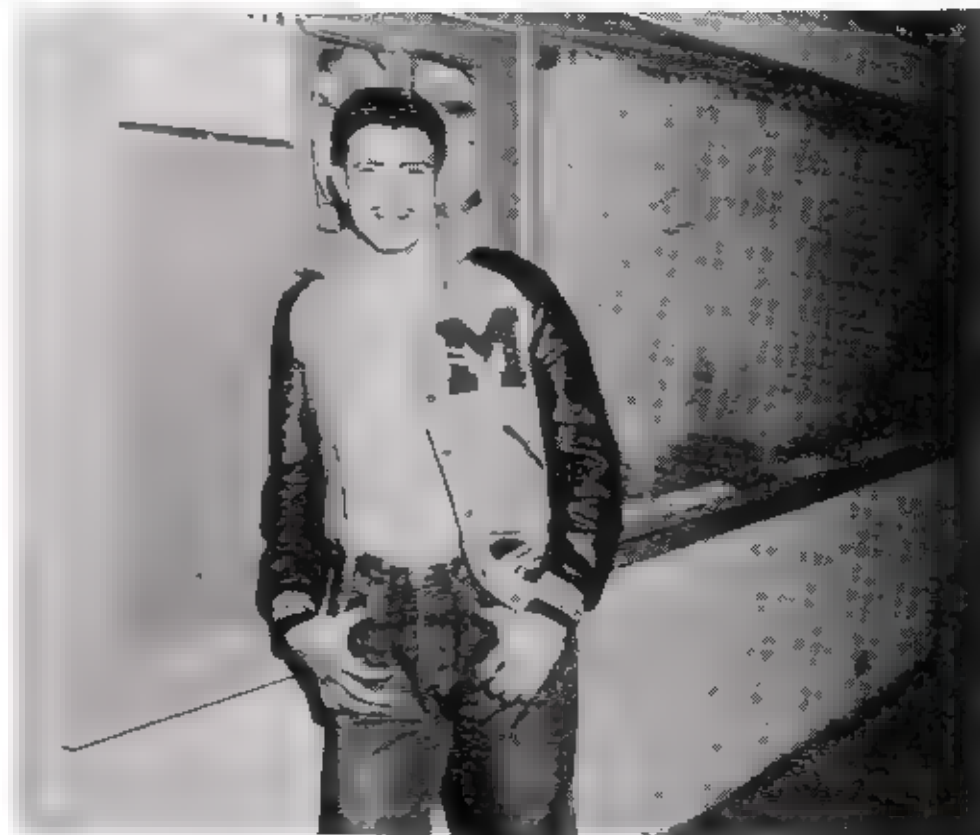
Class representatives work on
layouts



Future Farmers of America

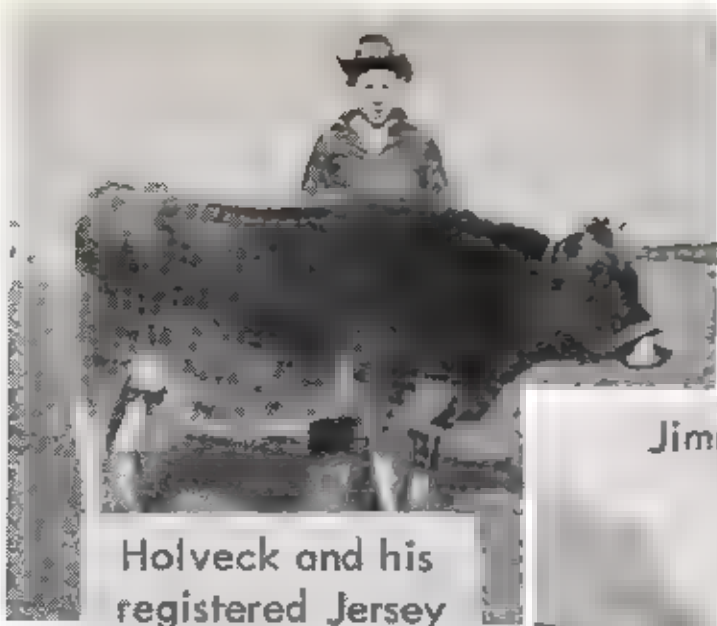
AIMS

1. To develop competent, aggressive, rural and agriculture leadership.
2. To create and nurture a love of country life.
3. To strengthen the confidence of farm boys and young men in themselves and their work.
4. To create more interest in the intelligent choice of farming occupations.
5. To encourage members in the development of individual farming programs and establishment in farming.
6. To encourage members to improve the farm home and its surroundings.
7. To participate in worthy undertakings for the improvement of agriculture.
8. To develop character, train for useful citizenship, and foster patriotism.
9. To participate in co-operative effort.
10. To encourage and practice thrift.
11. To encourage improvement in scholarship.
12. To provide and encourage the development of organized rural recreational activities.



PRESIDENT - Jerry Spillers

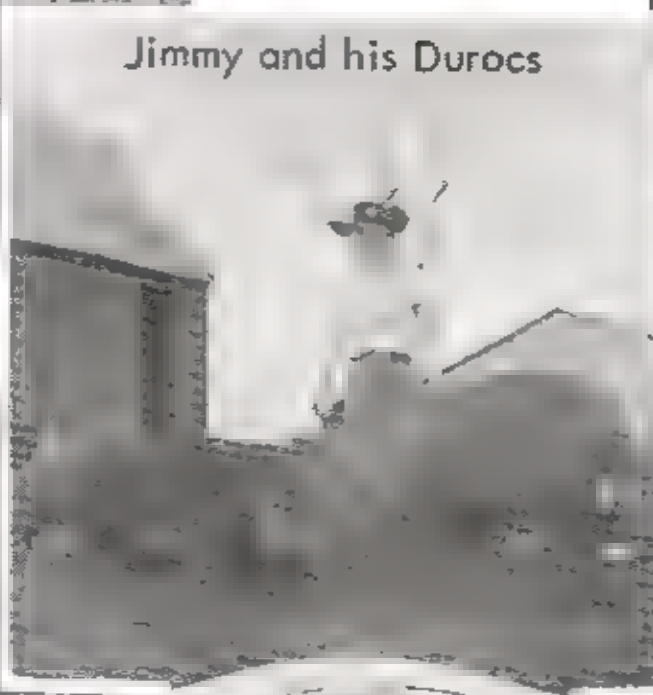
Activities 1954-'55



Holveck and his
registered Jersey



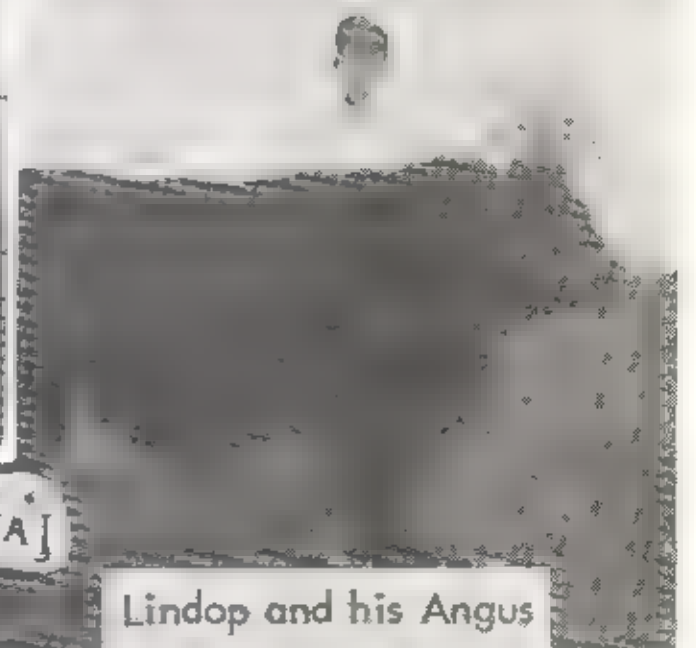
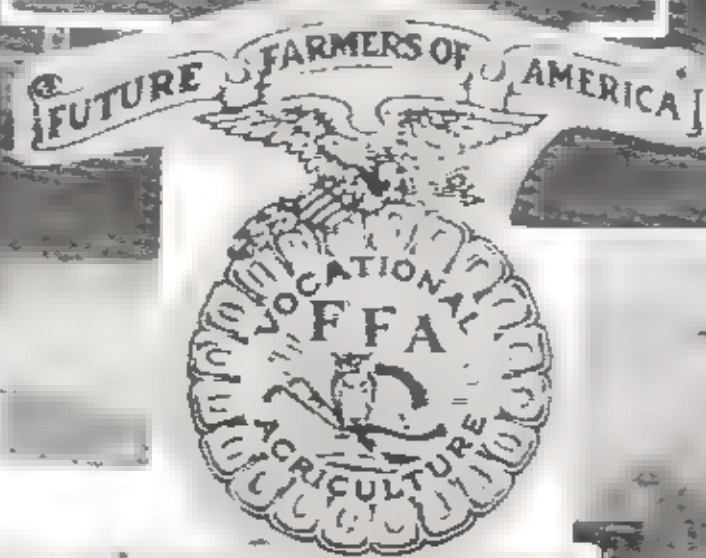
Lundberg and his Hereford



Jimmy and his Durocs



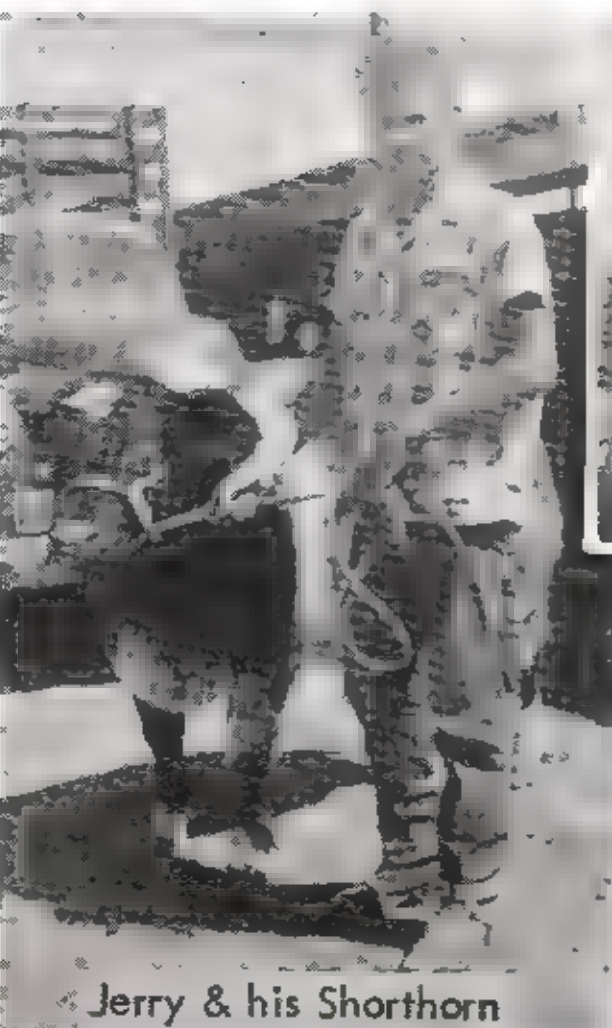
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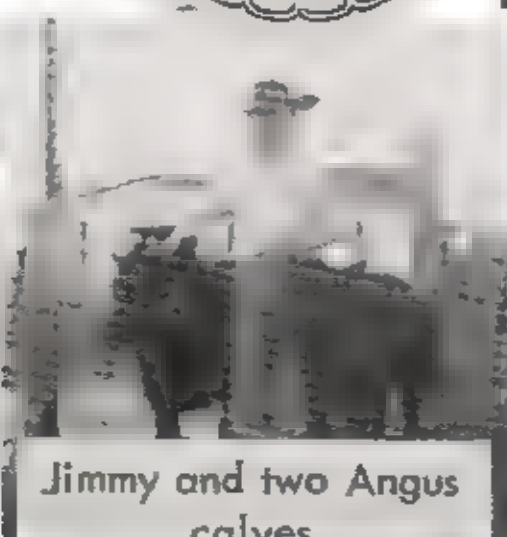
Lindop and his Angus



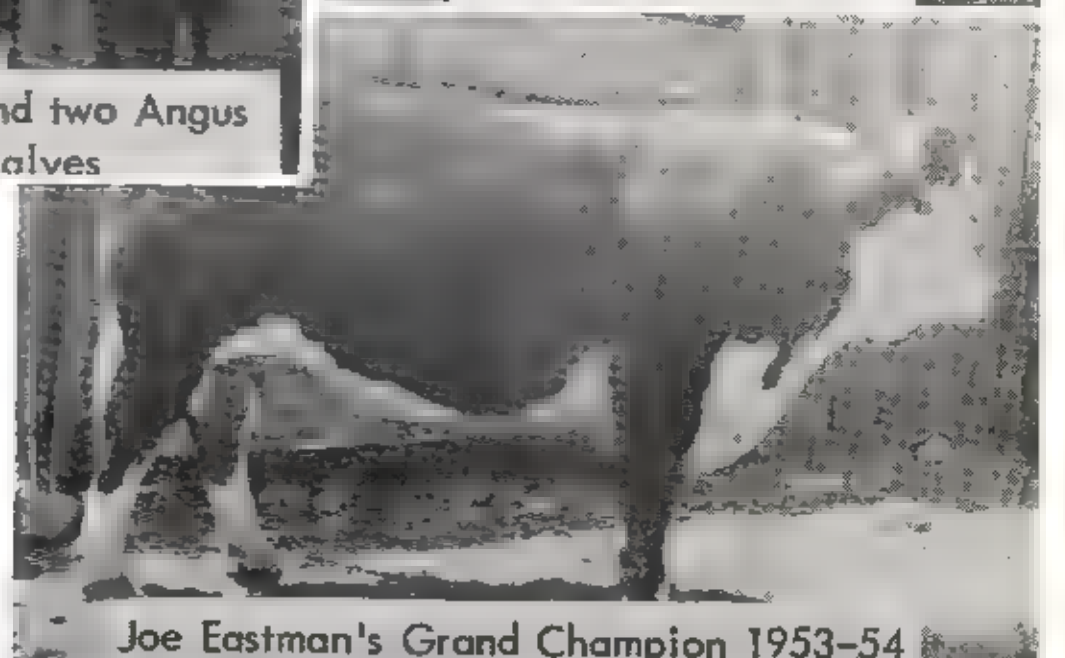
Coil and his registered
Holstein



Jerry & his Shorthorn



Jimmy and two Angus
calves



Joe Eastman's Grand Champion 1953-54



Future Homemakers of America

PRESIDENT - Barbara Dobbs



AIMS

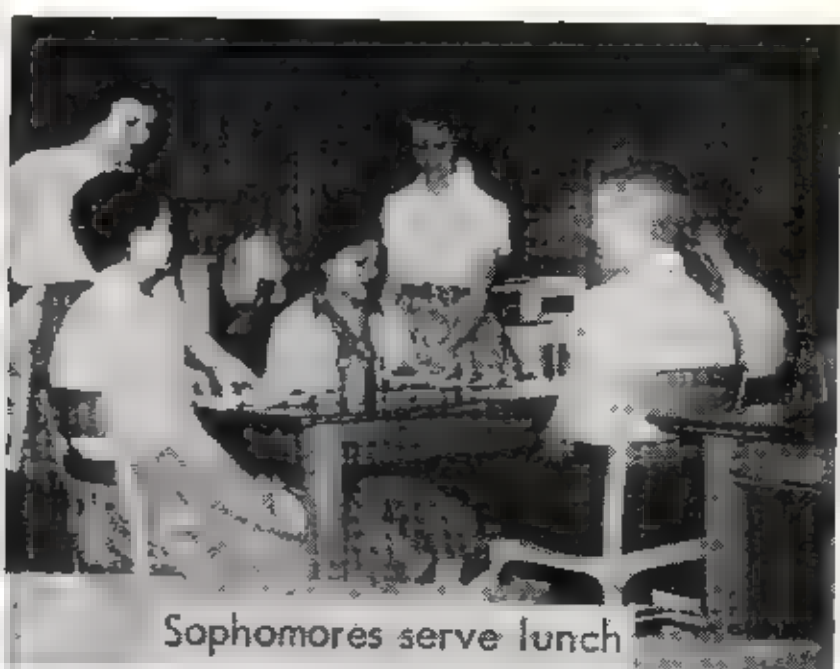
1. To promote a growing appreciation of the joys and satisfaction of homemaking.
2. To emphasize the importance of worthy home membership.
3. To encourage democracy in home and community life.
4. To work for good home and family life for all.
5. To promote international good will.
6. To foster the development of creative leadership in home and community life.
7. To provide wholesome individual and group recreation.
8. To further interest in home economics.



Hanging
Curtains



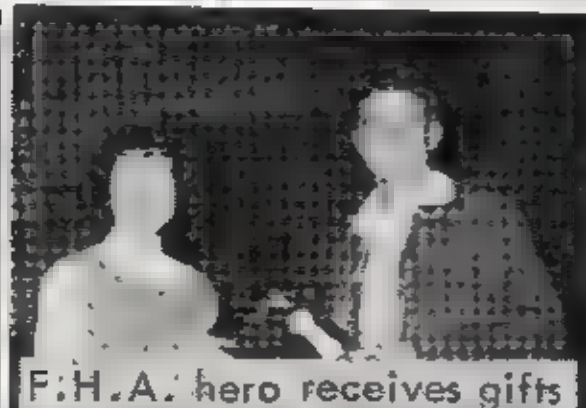
Fun at Waco Area Meeting



Sophomores serve lunch



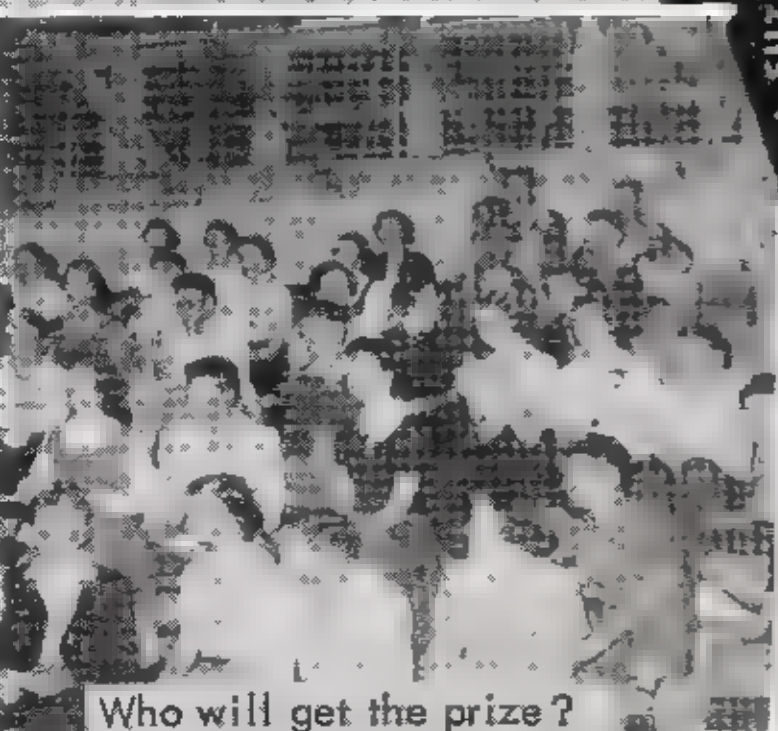
Freshmen prepare breakfast



F.H.A. hero receives gifts



Be sure it's straight



Who will get the prize?
Valentine Party



Keep hunting,
boys



Make sure it is done--
Sophomores



Freshmen eating breakfast



Juniors reup-
holster chairs



Chaperons enjoy Valentine
Party too





The Commercial Club

The Commercial Club gives every student who is interested in the business world a chance to learn about the standards of secretarial positions. It seeks to develop personal traits that will be assets in social and business life.



PRESIDENT - Jannis Edwards



Lettermen's Club



The purposes of the Lettermen's Club are to bring together all the boys and girls who have lettered in the different sports, and to try to stimulate more interest in sports among the other students.

PRESIDENT - Jerry Don Cavender



Choral Club

The chief purpose of the Choral Club is for its members to sing together for the enjoyment of singing. The second purpose is to give members an opportunity to observe and participate in carrying on the business and social life of a club.



PRESIDENT - Betty Joy Jenkins



Spanish Club



PRESIDENT - Kenneth Reed

In order to increase our knowledge and interest in the cultural background of Spanish speaking people and to enlarge our vocabularies in informal Spanish conversation, the Spanish Club was organized to meet twice monthly.



History Club

The History Club helps the student members to become informed of modern times. It especially arouses the enthusiasm of the students on events that affect the state of Texas.



PRESIDENT - James Atkins



Open Forum Club

The Open Forum Club has for its purpose the getting together and providing a place and an opportunity for students to discuss matters of common interest.



PRESIDENT - James McDonald

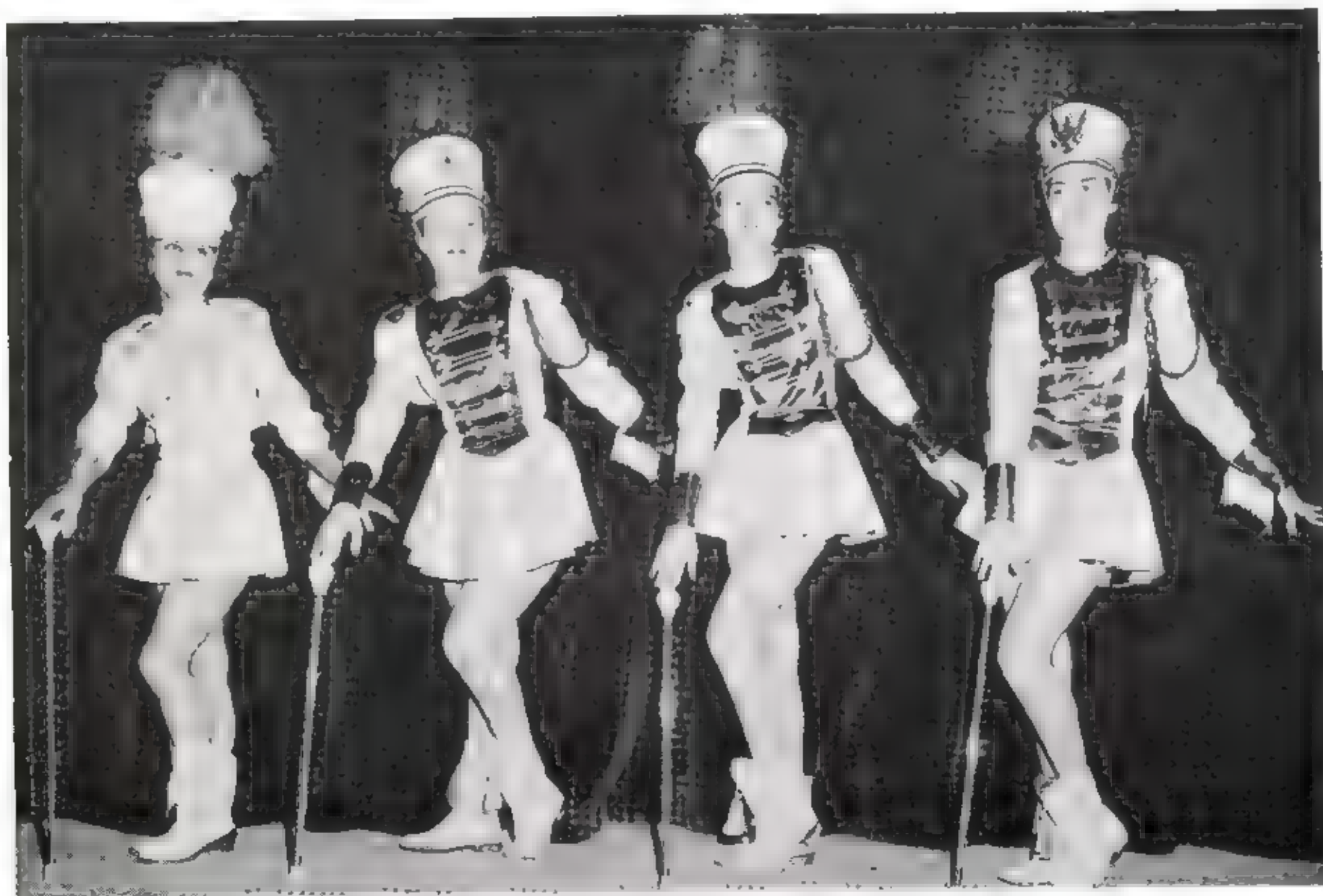


Cheerleaders

Shirley Springer
Venita Ward

Betty Jean Coley
(Head Cheerleader)

Joan Rogers
Jannis Edwards



Majorettes

Evelyn Grigsby
(Head Majorette)

Virginia McElroy
Barbara Dobbs

Cathey Gray

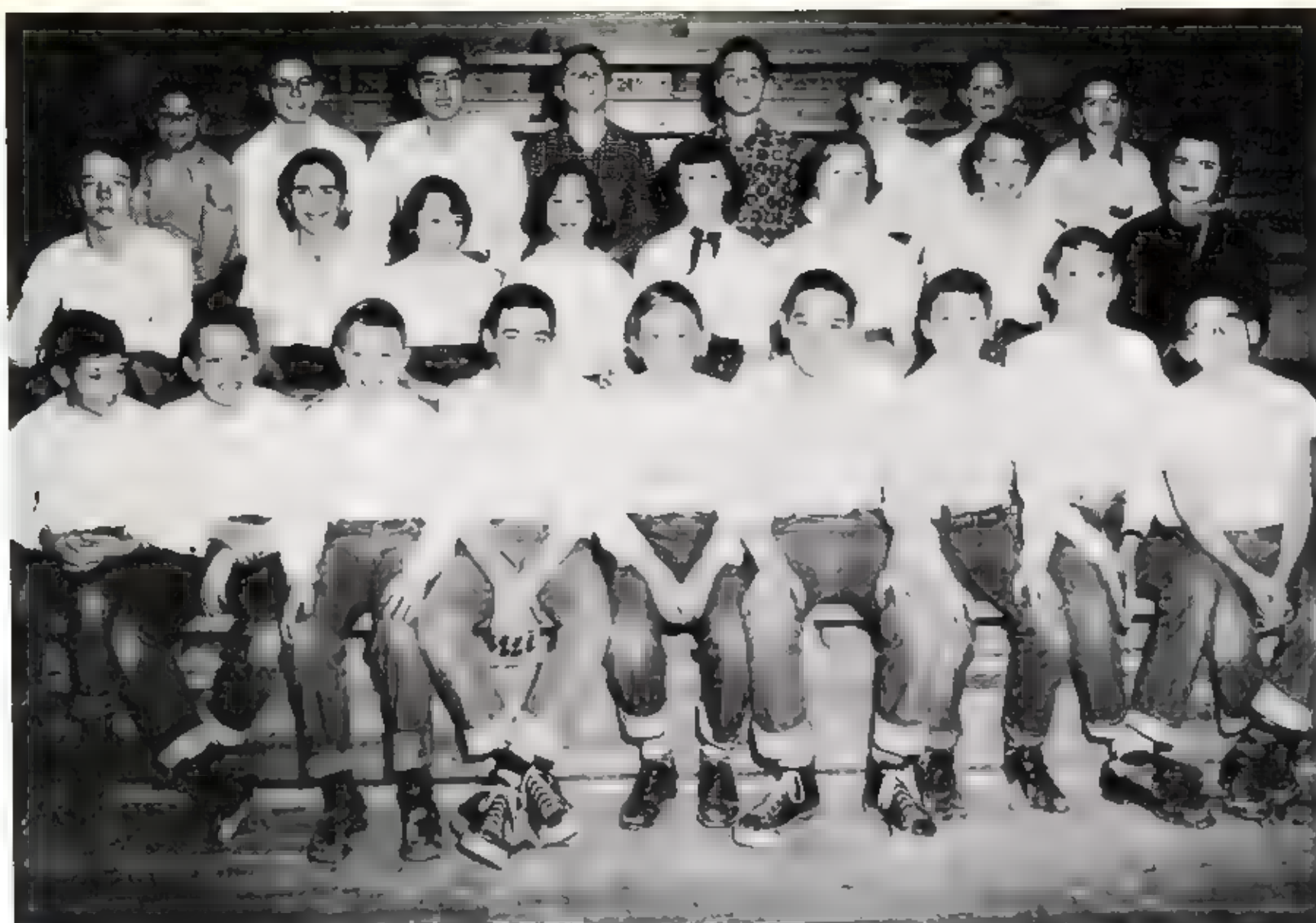
Midlothian Pep Squad



MASCOTS - Patricia Proffitt
Kathy Philliber



SPONSOR - Evelyn Ganaway

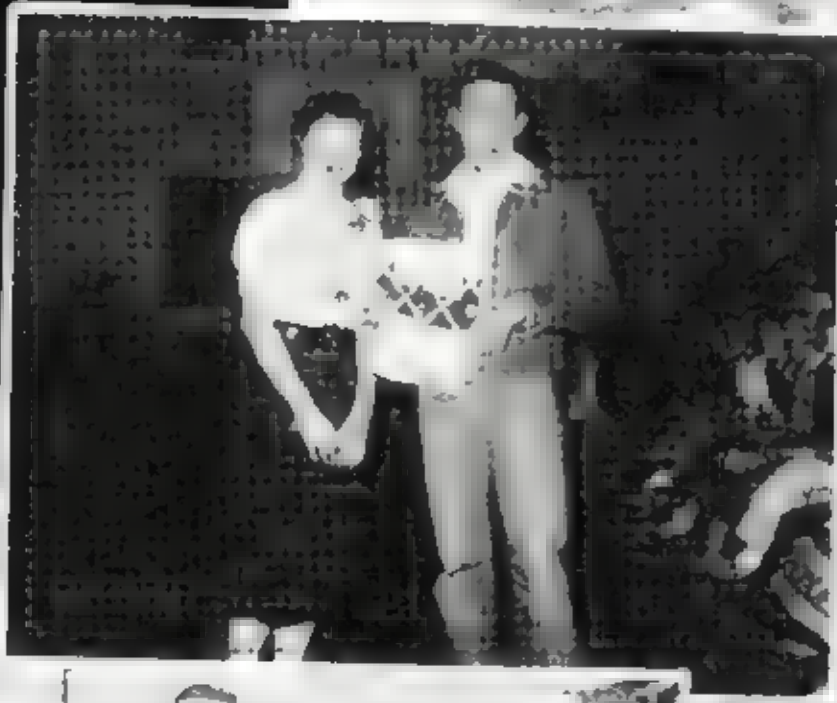


Band

This group, composed of grade school students, has wonderful possibilities of becoming "the Band" of Midlothian. They are competently directed by Miss Jo Ann Scoles.



PERSONALITY





G. W. MANIS - Sports



WAYNE SIBLEY - Mathematics



BERTHA BYRD - English



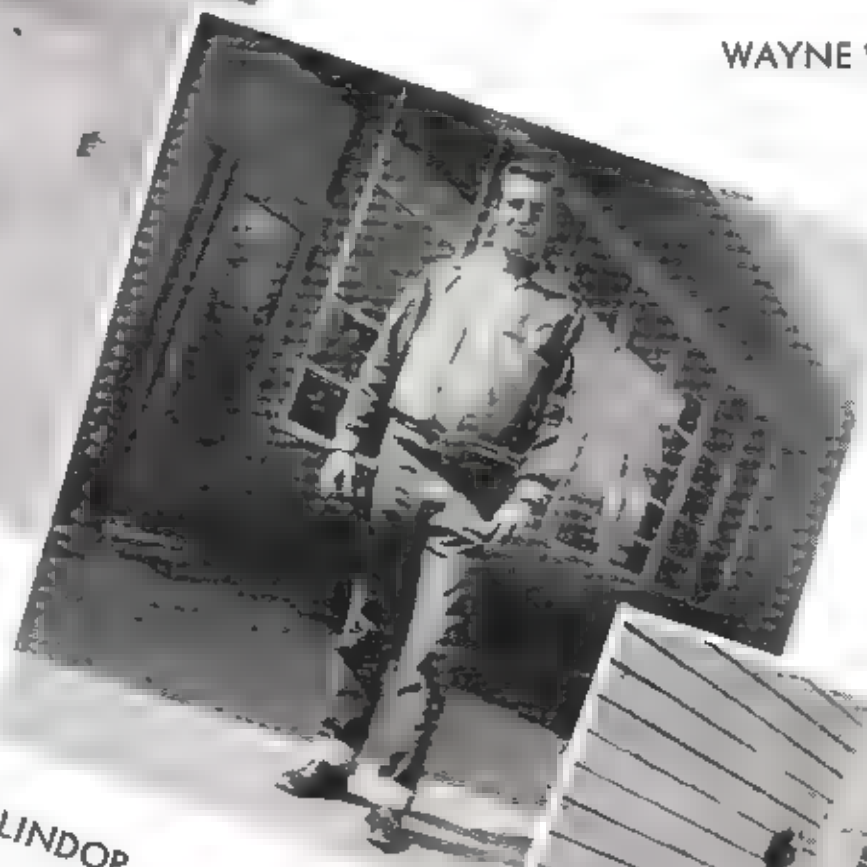
JOYCE MORRIS - Commercial



WAYNE WEST - Spanish



CAROLYN McALPINE - Homemaking



LESTER LINDOP - Voc. Agriculture



BARBARA DOBBS - History



SHIRLEY McELROY - Science



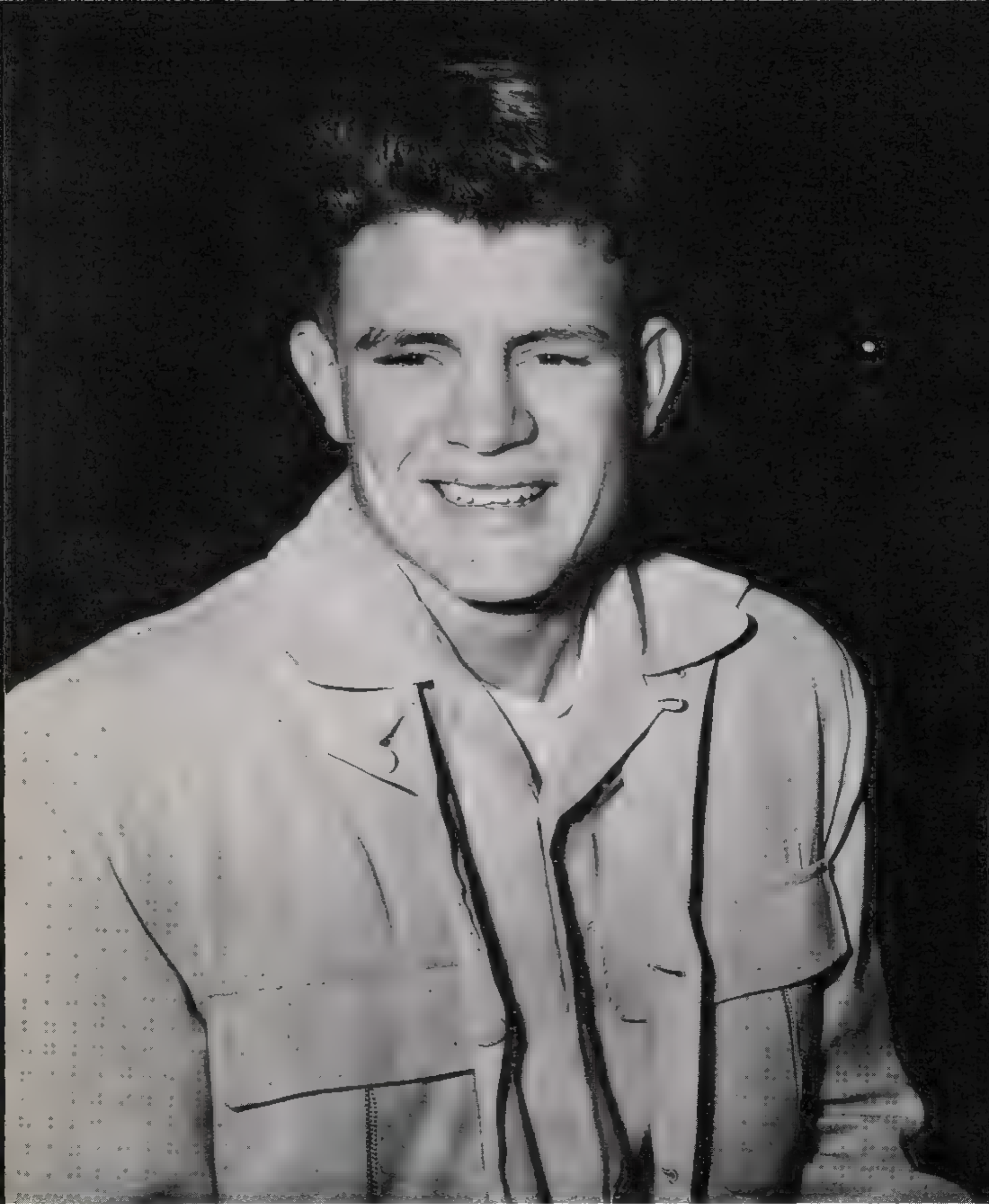
All-Around Girl

BARBARA DOBBS



All-Around Boy

G. W. MANIS



F.H.A. Hero

JERRY SPILLERS



Valentine Sweetheart

JO ANN CURTS



7.7.A. Sweetheart

LINDA WEST

Runners-Up

For

*F.
F.
A.
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Martha Jean Williams



Shirley McElroy



Nancy Bridges



King and Queen of May 1955

VENITA FAYE WARD - JAMES ATKINS



Her Majesty

VENITA FAYE WARD



Maid of Honor

BETTY JEAN COLEY

*Ladies
In
Waiting*



Jannis Edwards

Joan Rogers

May
Fete



FIRST GRADE
Cheryll Weaver
Leslie Brandon

SECOND GRADE
Kay Lynn Armstrong
David Ford



FIRST GRADE
Janice Duvall
Michael Jones

SECOND GRADE
Beverly Curry
John Hedgepeth



KINDERGARTEN
Stephen McMillion
Kathy Dell Philliber



Royalty



FOURTH GRADE
Nancy Matthews
James Barksdale

FIFTH GRADE
Wynnette Glick
George Campbell



FOURTH GRADE
Andrea Tennery
Gary Sewell

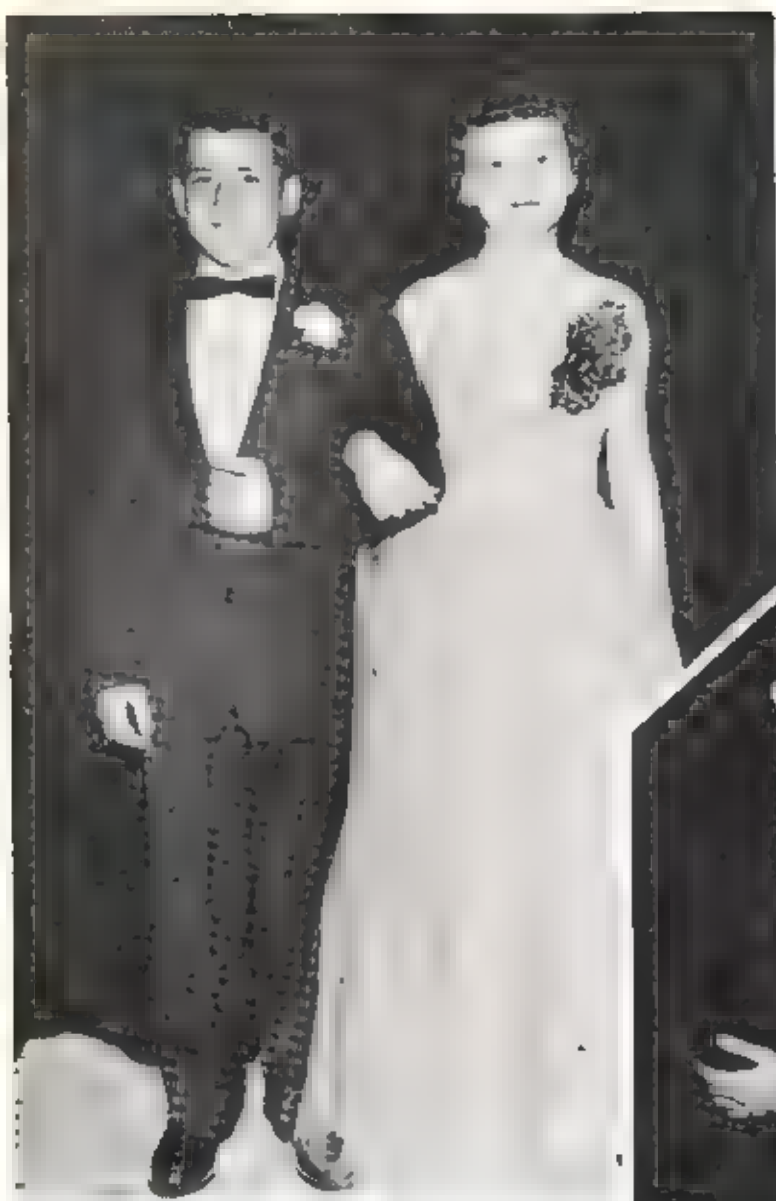
FIFTH GRADE
Nelda Barger
Lloyd Kirby



THIRD GRADE
Patricia Philliber
Jimmy Goodwin



*May
Fete*



SIXTH GRADE
Emily McDonald
Darrell Countryman

SEVENTH GRADE
Nancy Graham
Charles Finley



EIGHTH GRADE
Ellen Hayes
Ray Barksdale



SIXTH GRADE
Sandra Raines
Armon Cook

SEVENTH GRADE
Charlotte Goodwin
Douglas Morris



Debut



TENTH GRADE
Judy Hollabaugh
Joe Eastman

ELEVENTH GRADE
Betty Armstrong
Roland Green



EIGHTH GRADE
Mona West
Johnny Grant



NINTH GRADE
Billy Wayne Isom
Sonja Teague

TWELFTH GRADE
Joyce Morris
Keith Smith









A. S. C. Representatives ---- Virginia Ann McElroy
Billy Lawson

ACTIVITIES



SENIOR CLASS PRESENTS

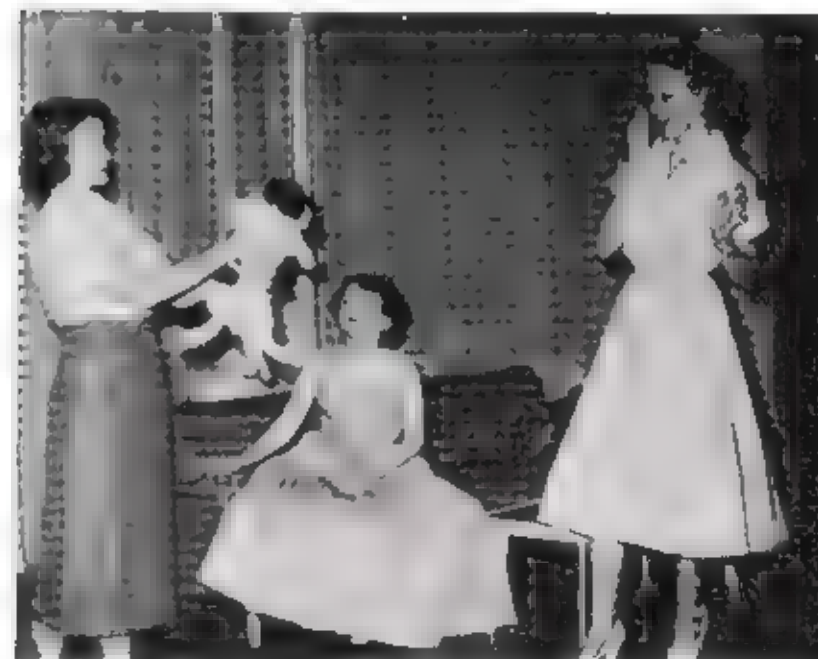
"SHY GUY"

Cast

Fred Hastings	G. W. Manis
Cora Hastings	Betty Coley
Gilbert Hastings	Keith Smith
Nancy Graham	Jannis Edwards
Larry Madison	Wayne Sibley
Julie Tucker	Joan Rogers
Gloria Patterson	Linda West
Melinda Whipple	Evelyn Grigsby
Lois Corwin	Bertha Byrd
Mr. Danbury	Jimmie Gilbert
Bill Sterling	Paul Hawkins



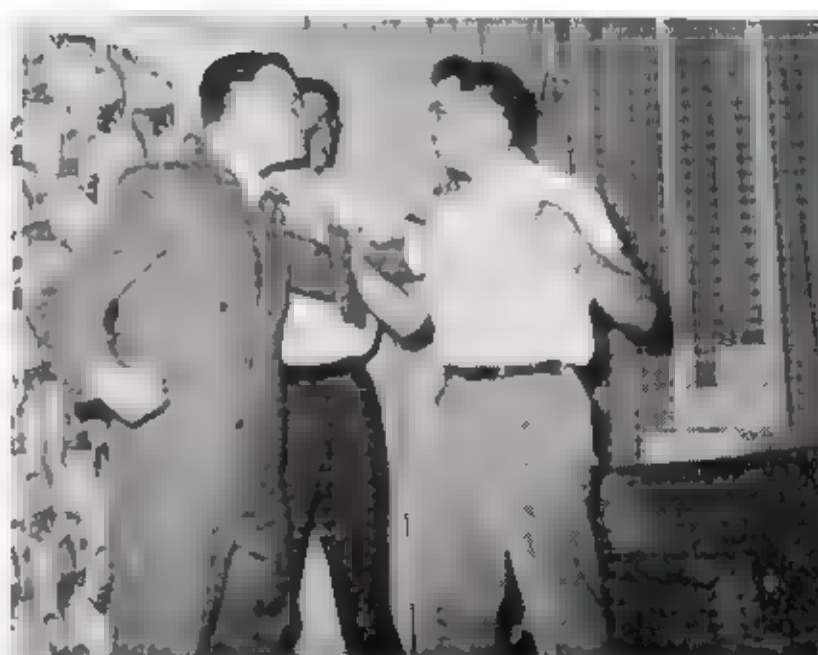
You're even prettier than
your picture!



Mrs. Hastings, are you sure you
don't want to pet Ichabod?



But, Gloria, I didn't even know
you had a boy friend.



What did you call me?



Evelyn Ganaway - Director



Please, Gloria, I beg you on my bended knee.



Calm Down! Do you realize you've made me look like an imbecile!



Oh! I forgot---I didn't feed Ichabod anything.



I never hide my head in the sand.



If you need an attractive mother, I'm available.



JUNIOR CLASS PRESENTS

"A READY-MADE FAMILY"

Director - Mrs. Perry Aday

Agnes Martyn	Lavon Wooten
Bob	Hallum Brown
Marilee	Linda Ballard
Gracie	Joyce Mitchell
Miss Lydia	Barbara Dobbs
Henry Turner	Wayne West
Doris	Carolyn McAlpin
Sammie	Kenneth Reed
Begonia	Joyce Cavender
Nicodemus	Nickey Ganaway



Oh, my dear brother, I do believe he's having a fit.



Henry, you do say the sweetest things to me.



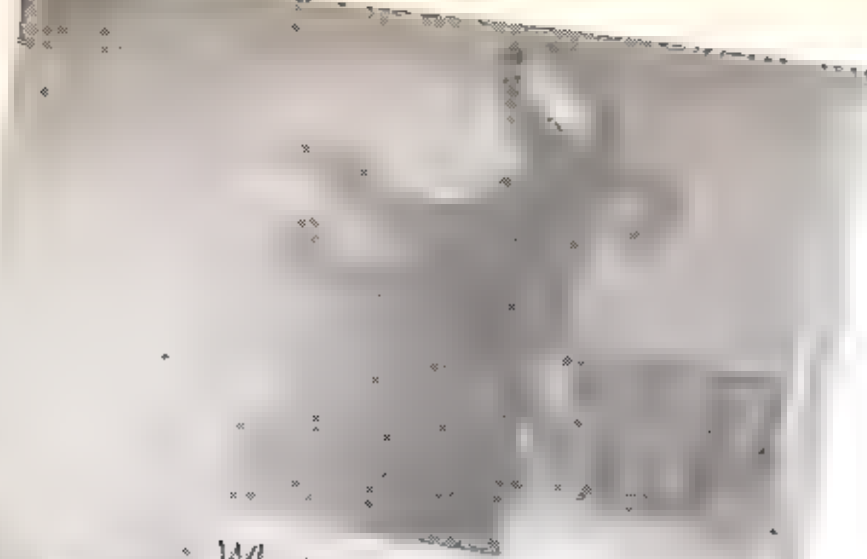
I'm going 60 miles an hour and I ain't moving a inch.



Quick! I need some more water

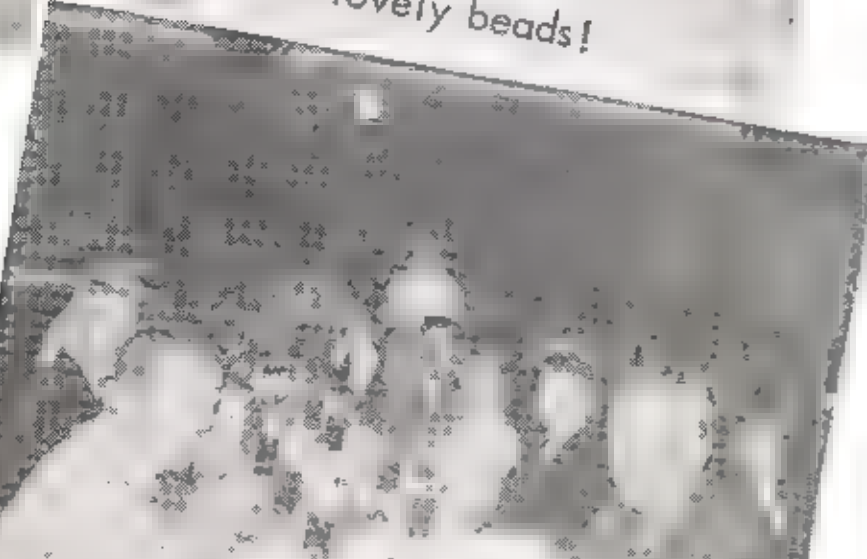


Sammy put that down.




What lovely beads!

Snaps

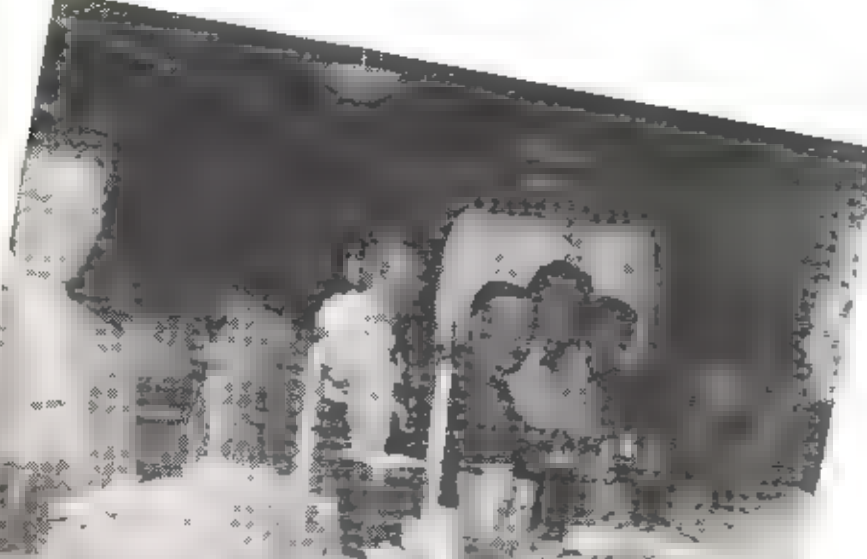


Got something in your eye, Mr. Stinson?



What's next on the menu?

of




Don't look so glum, boys.

Banquets



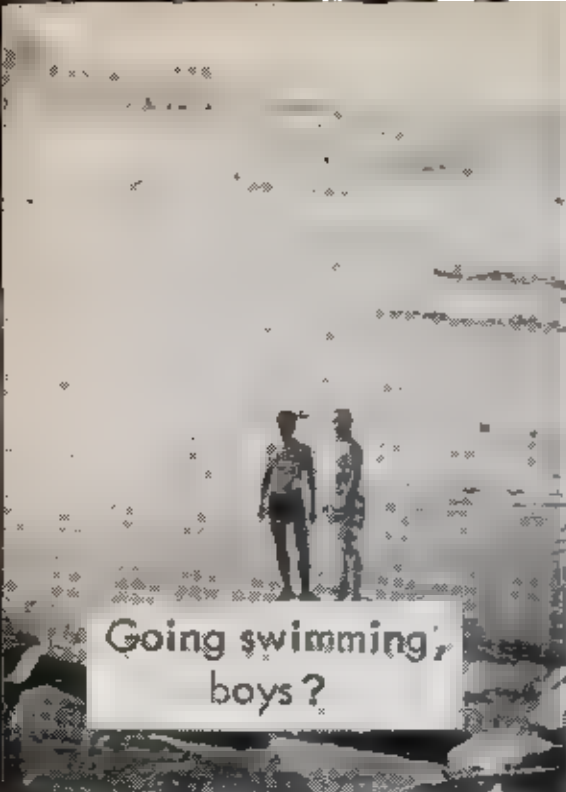
Banquet enjoyed by all.



Mrs. Ganaway receives gift.



Teachers enjoy banquet too.



Going swimming,
boys?

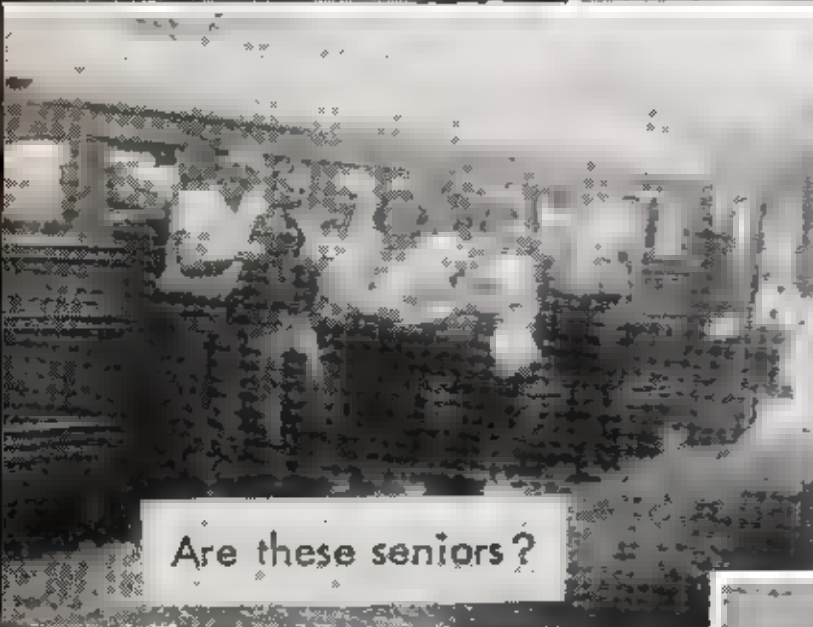


Coming home from the
Senior trip.

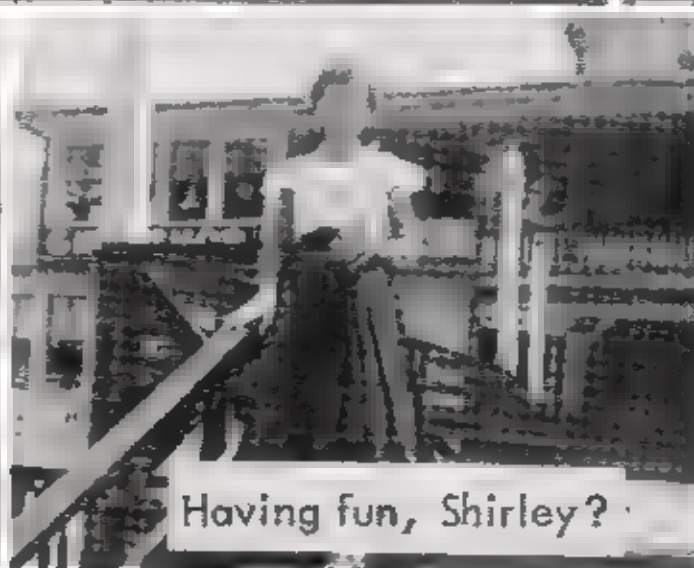
SENIOR ACTIVITIES



Traveling, girls?



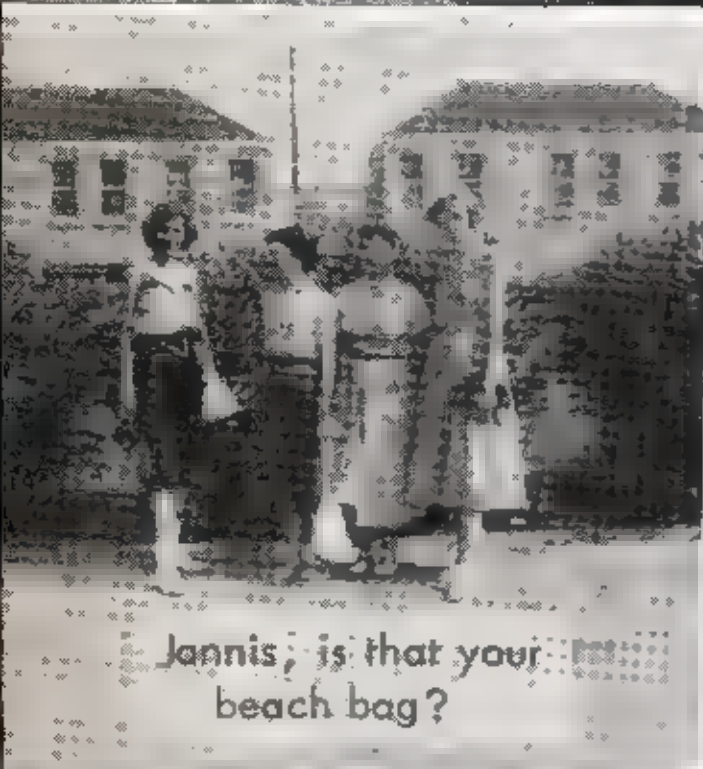
Are these seniors?



Having fun, Shirley?



Let's ride the
ferry!!



Jannis, is that your
beach bag?



Some party!



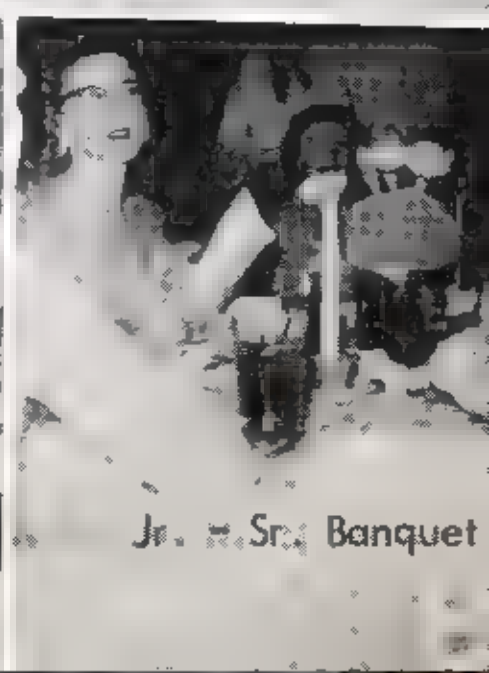
Is that tea you're
drinking, boys?



Sun grins

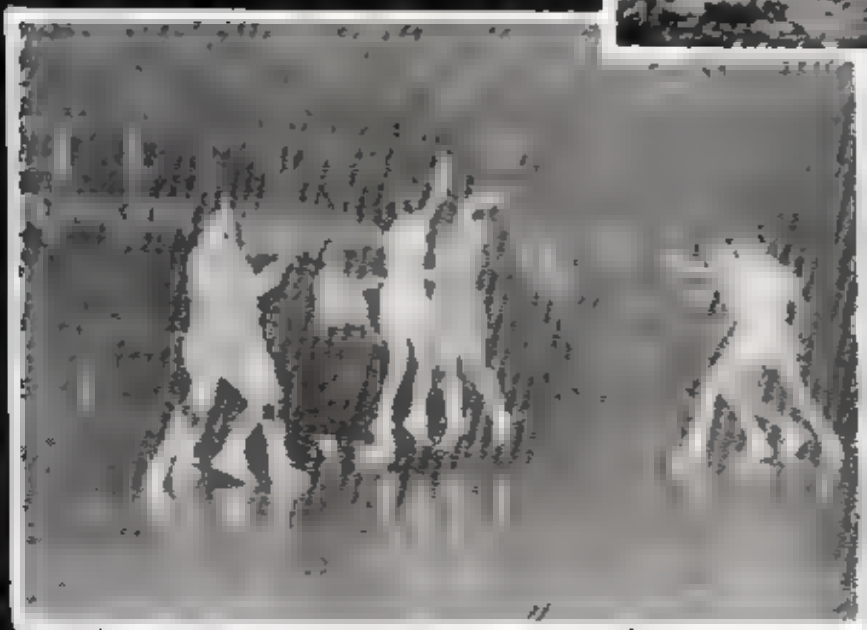
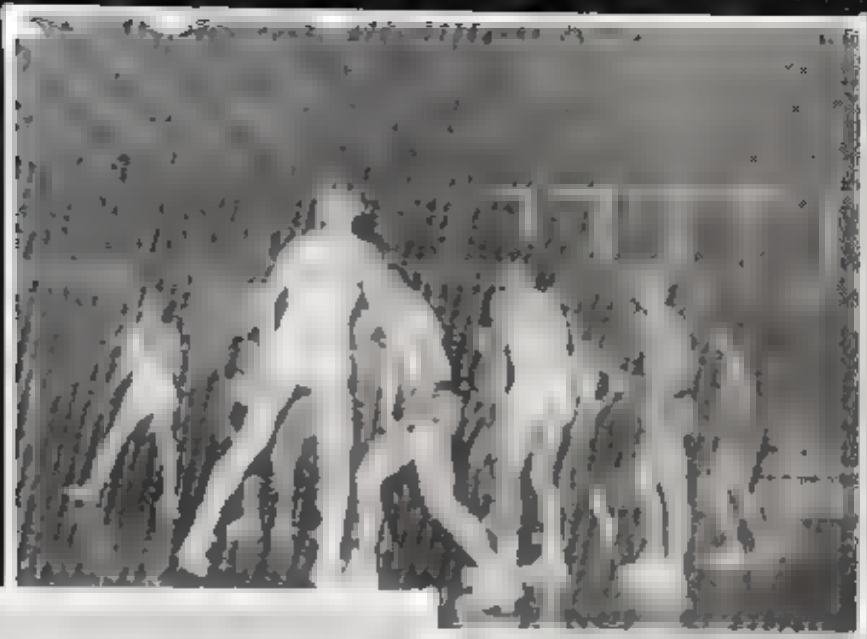


Long Awaited Senior Day



Jr. & Sr. Banquet

SPORTS





Homecoming Queen

CATHY GRAY



TRI-CAPTAINS: MANNIS CAVENDER HARDER
 COACHES: E. STINSON T. BRASHEAR

1954 SCOREBOARD

Cedar Hill	7	Midlothian	31
Ferris	12	Midlothian	13
Mansfield	0	Midlothian	34
Itasca	31	Midlothian	20
Clifton	20	Midlothian	13
Joshua	0	Midlothian	39
Granbury	20	Midlothian	26
Glen Rose	0	Midlothian	12
Alvarado	7	Midlothian	26
Grandview	0	Midlothian	44
TOTALS	97		258



1954 Panther Team



All-District Team '54

Dub Manis Donald Wayne Floyd Jon Few

Louie Dwaine Coley
Assistant Manager

Charles Ray Coil
Assistant Manager

Chucky Williams
Manager



Jerry Don Cavender

Billy Wayne Harder

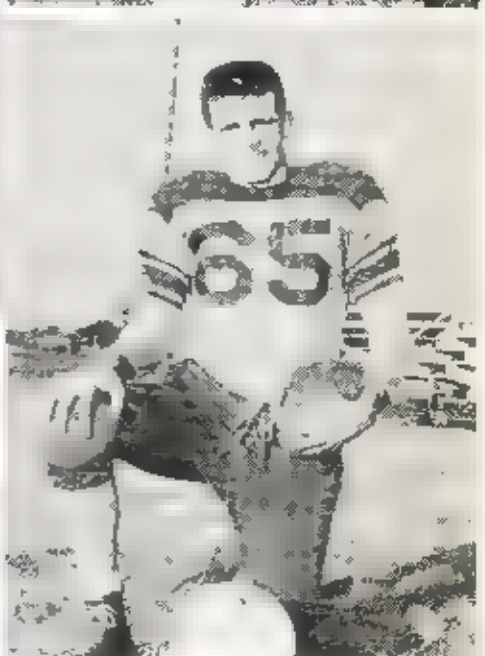
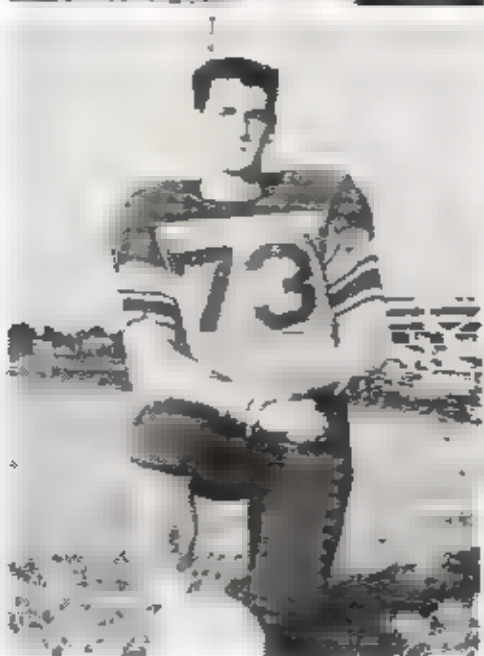
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Donald Floyd

Kenneth Lundberg

Jerry Spillers



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Doyle McDonald

Wayne McLemore

Joe Barksdale



Lester Lindop

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Bobby Gray West



Jon Few

Roland Green



Nickey Ganaway

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David Spencer

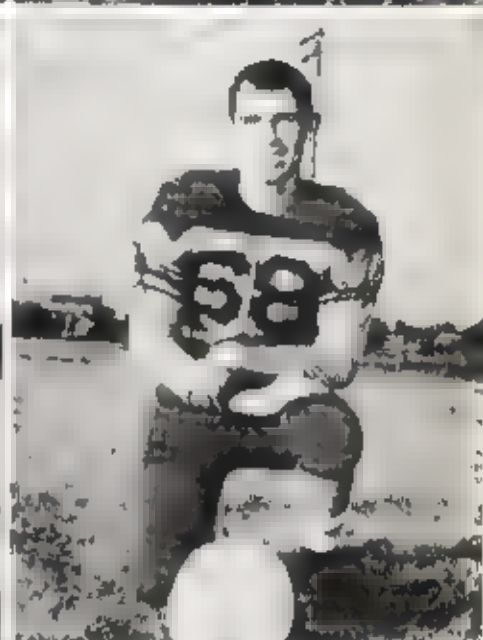
Eddie Howard

Jimmy Pinkerton



John Charles Clark

Wayne West



Danny Allen

Carlos Chapa





THE Mansfield TIGERS
COULDN'T ESCAPE THE PANTHER'S
WRATH
34-0

PANTHERS played
MUTINY ON GRANBURY
PIRATES -
26-20



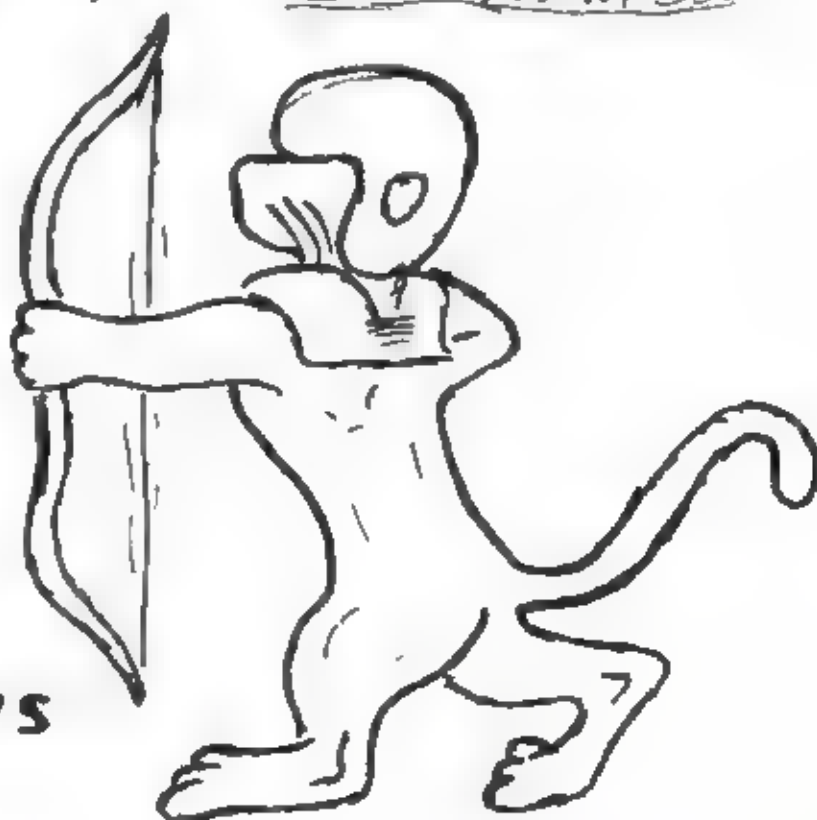
OTHER VICTORIES
PANTHERS

32- OWLS-----0
44- GRANDVIEW---0
12- GLEN ROSE-----0
13- FERRIS-----12
20- ITASCA---31
(WE goofed)

CLIFTON CUBS
ELUDE PANTHER'S BEAR-
TRAP-13-20
WIN CONFERENCE



THE GLORY



PANTHERS PIERCE INDIANS
DEFENSE 26-7



1954 Cub Football Team



Sweetheart
JUDY RALSTON



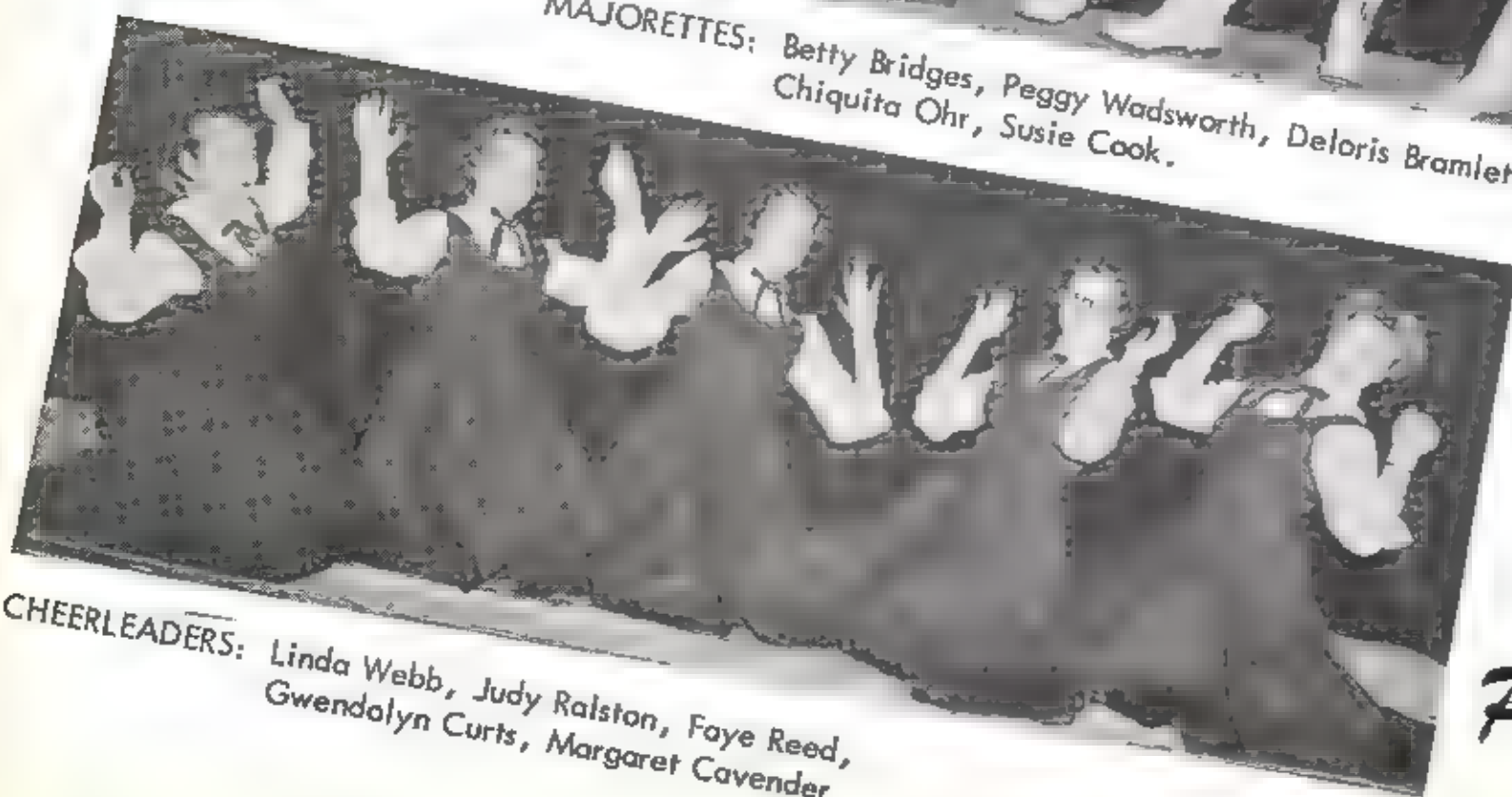
Coach
Tommy Brashear



Cub



MAJORETTES: Betty Bridges, Peggy Wadsworth, Deloris Bramlett, Chiquita Ohr, Susie Cook.



CHEERLEADERS: Linda Webb, Judy Ralston, Faye Reed, Gwendolyn Curts, Margaret Cavender.

Pep Squad



Boys' Basketball Team

SCOREBOARD

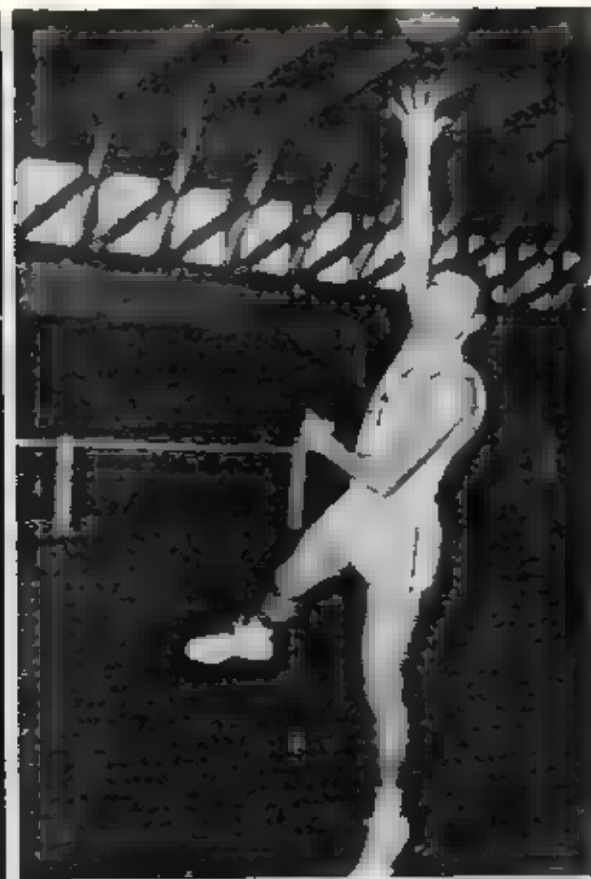
	Opp.		Home
Alvarado	25	Midlothian	38
Joshua	36	Midlothian	52
Godley	64	Midlothian	43
Itasca	47	Midlothian	52
Alvarado	22	Midlothian	53
Cedar Hill	41	Midlothian	38
Mansfield	65	Midlothian	59
Godley	36	Midlothian	29
Mansfield	43	Midlothian	25
Cedar Hill	39	Midlothian	33
Venus	30	Midlothian	52
Itasca	37	Midlothian	44
Cedar Hill	30	Midlothian	29
Mansfield	48	Midlothian	38
TOTALS	663		585



Captains: Manis and Floyd
Coach: Stinson

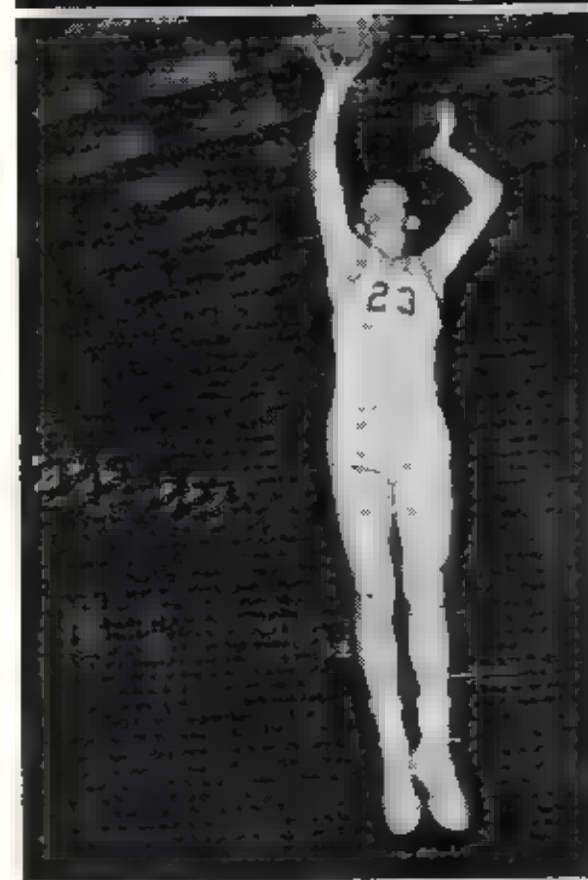


Managers: Williams, Coil,
and Coley.



Jimmie Gilbert

G. W. (Dub) Manis



Jon Few

Donald Wayne Floyd

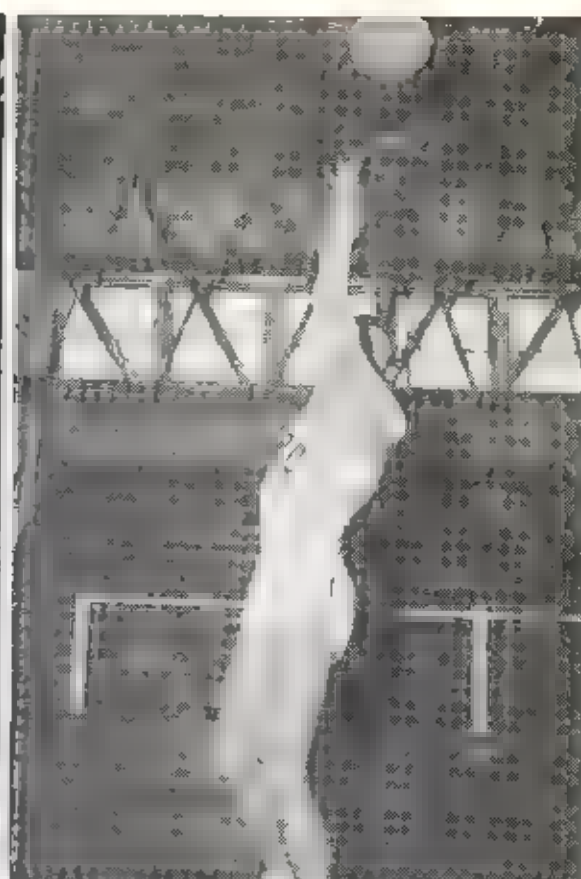


Wayne Sibley

James Atkins

John Al Holveck

Bobby Jack Lawson



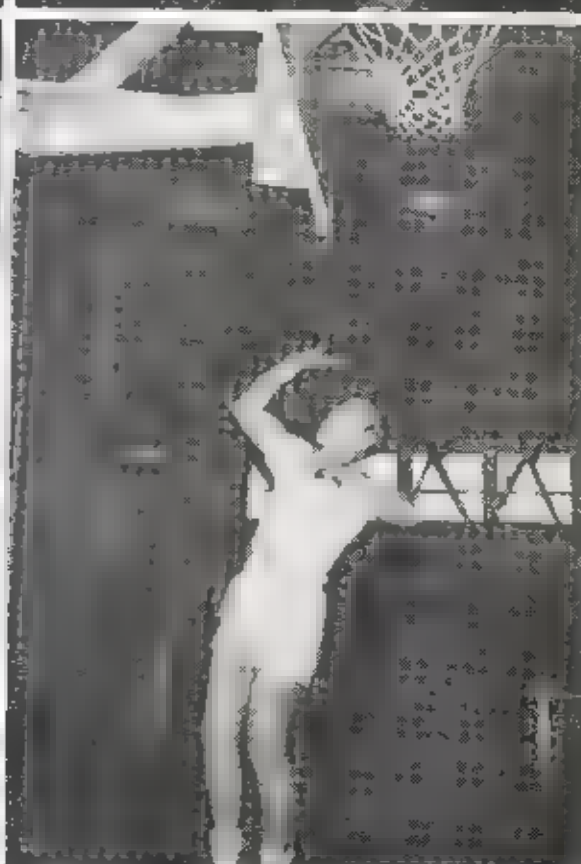
James McDonald

Roland Green



Roman Aday

Gene Pogue





Girls' Basketball Team



COACH - Tommy Brashear

SCOREBOARD

Opponent		Home
Alvarado	15	25
Keller	24	28
Itasca	26	52
Meridian	32	24
Alvarado	29	44
Cedar Hill	65	34
Mansfield	48	33
Maypearl	26	35
Rio Vista	20	38
Godley	40	28
Joshua	33	30
Venus	42	36
Itasca	17	39
Cedar Hill	36	22
Mansfield	53	29
Total	500	497

Linda West

Betty Jean Coley

Joan Rogers



Cathey Grey

Barbara Dobbs

Virginia McElroy

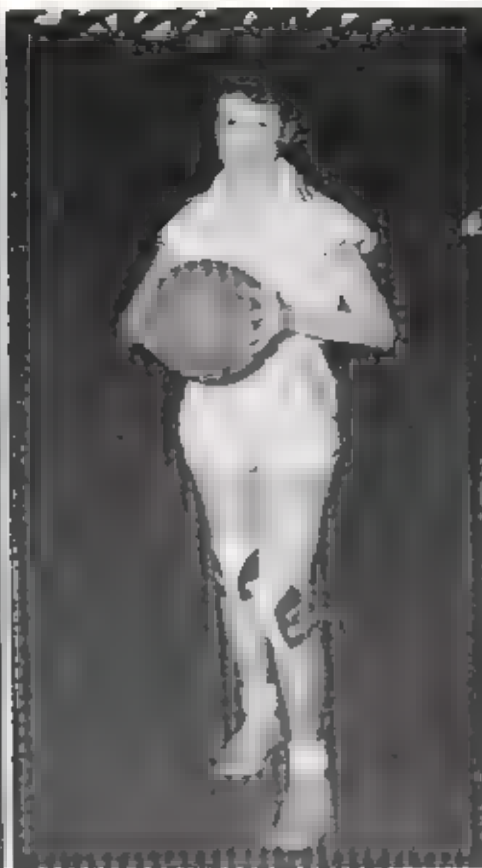


Joyce Mitchell

Jo Ann Curts

Elvadine Lawson, Mgr.





Martha Jean Williams

Jane Cavendar

Alice Faye Swearengen



Nancy Hice

Mary Lou Harrington

Sonja Teague



Joyce Powell

Olive Lee Hedgepeth

Nancy Holmes



*1955
Baseball
Team*



Jimmie Gilbert



James Atkins



Milton Kuykendall



Billy Lawson



Wayne Sibley



Paul Hawkins



Roland Green



Gerald Isom



Jerry Weatherford



James McDonald



Joe Davis



John Al Holveck



Charles Roy Coil

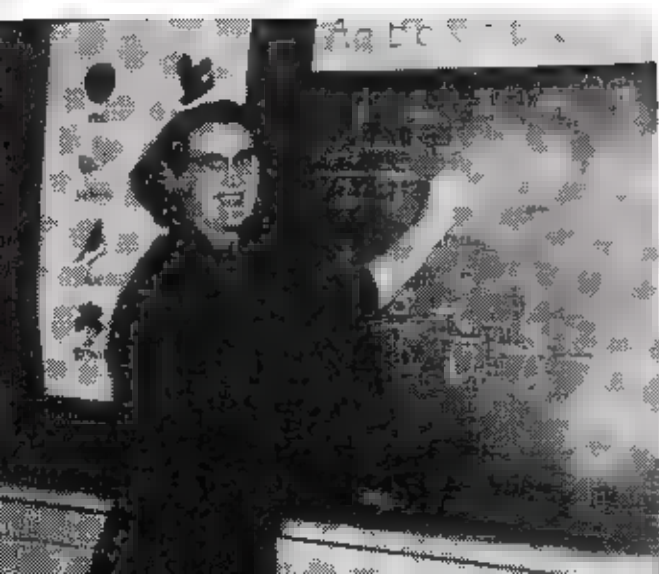


Joe Barksdale

GRADUATES

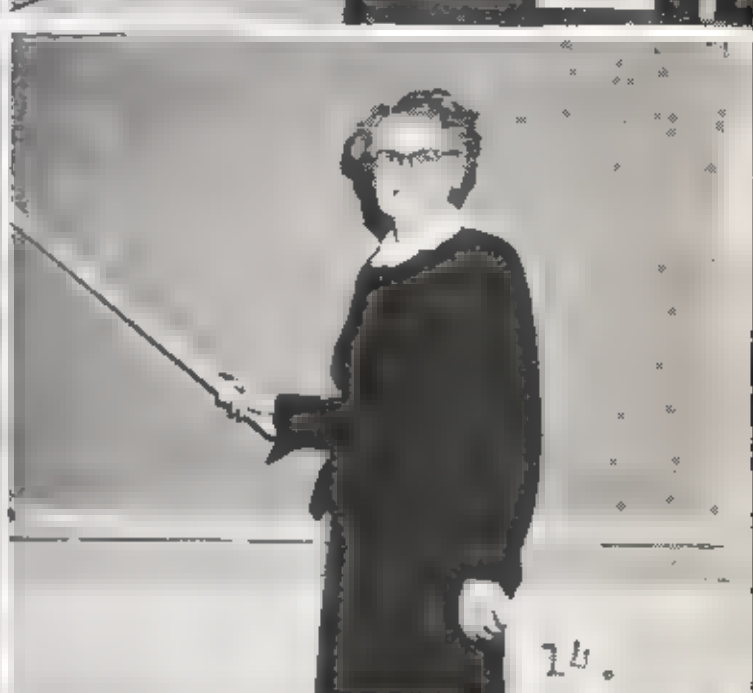


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 2. Laura Jenkins M.S., E.T.S.T.C., Primary Principal, First Grade
 3. Mary Ann Price M.A., N.T.S.C., Second Grade
 4. Sue Neely B.S., N.T.S.C., First Grade
 5. Opal Hendricks B.S., N.T.S.C., Third Grade
-
6. Margaret Brown B.S., N.T.S.C., Eighth Grade
 7. Joyce Milton B.S., N.T.S.C., Third Grade
 8. Lena Bowen B.A., Howard Payne, Fourth Grade
 9. Tommy Brashear B.S., E.T.S.T.C., Seventh Grade
 10. Dorothy Eskridge B.S., A. and I. College, Sixth Grade



Faculty

11. Irene Travis B.A., Trinity Univ., M.E., N.T.S.C., Fifth Grade
12. Harris Warren B.S., M.E., T.C.U., Eighth Grade, Grammar School Principal
13. Georgeanne Stinson B.S., E.T.S.T.C., Seventh Grade
14. Roxie Ford B.S., N.T.S.C., Sixth Grade
15. Mary Louise Wadley B.A., T.W.C., Fifth Grade



First Grade



Linda Allen
Wanda Blevins
Linda Boykin
Leslie Brandon



David Brundage
Gwendolyn Burgess
Charles Buster
Judy Buster



Phyllis Coble
Paulette Coble
Thomas Cox
Lanell Davis



John Dearborn
Janice Duvall
Mary Ford
Judith Foster



Frances Harrington
Bob Harris

First Grade

Diane Hayes
Judy Hayes
Rita Ann Hayes
Markland Hayes



Frances Hice
Neil Hickerson
William Hollabough
Michael Jones



Karen Kay
Sarah Ann Keller
Celia Lea McKenney
Pamela Joy Matthews



Carolyn Miller
Janice Mosely
Lonnie Parker
Warren Pitts



Dennie Priddy
Linda Priddy



First Grade



Jeanne Ralston
Wayne Ray
Dwaine Rayburn
Sarah Lou Reeves



Mack Seeton
Cecil Shaw
Dwayne Sheppard
Lois Soto



Jim Spain
Barbara Tackett
Pricilla Jo Tennery
Richard Tidwell



Lou Ann Tune
Cosetta Vestal
Sibyle Ann Watkins
Cheryll Weaver



Thomas Youngblood

Second Grade

Frances Alsup
Kay Lynn Armstrong
John Batch
Elvira Bernal



Kenneth Black
Betty Bowen
Sonjah Bramlett
Larry Brown



Judith Brown
Larry Briggs
Jean Bryant
Bobby Bullard



Pamela Burgess
Ray Buster
Michael Byrd
Beverly Curry



Betty Ann Dellinger
Kenneth Faulkner
David Ford
Randle Ford



Second Grade



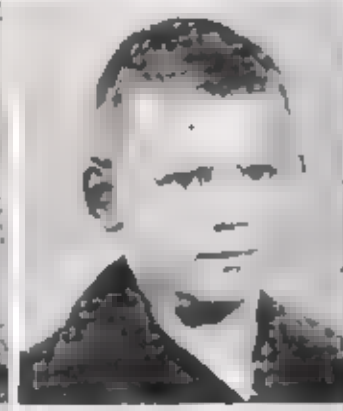
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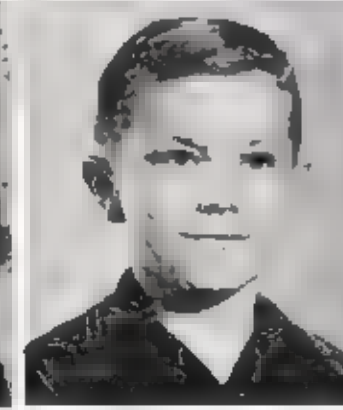
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Robert Lancaster
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Ima Jean McCarty
Gary McLemore



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Jerry Massey
James Miller



Betty Munden
Charles Ohr
Thomas Owings
Elizabeth Rayburn



Linda Redden

Second Grade

Joe Reese
Susan Reeves
Billy Roark
Paulette Roten



David Sewell
Billy Simmons
Bobby Sink
Susan Spearman



Gene Smith
Louis Soto
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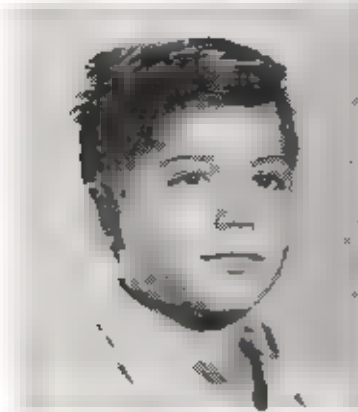
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Third Grade



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Jan Baucum
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Patricia Duvall
James Goodwin



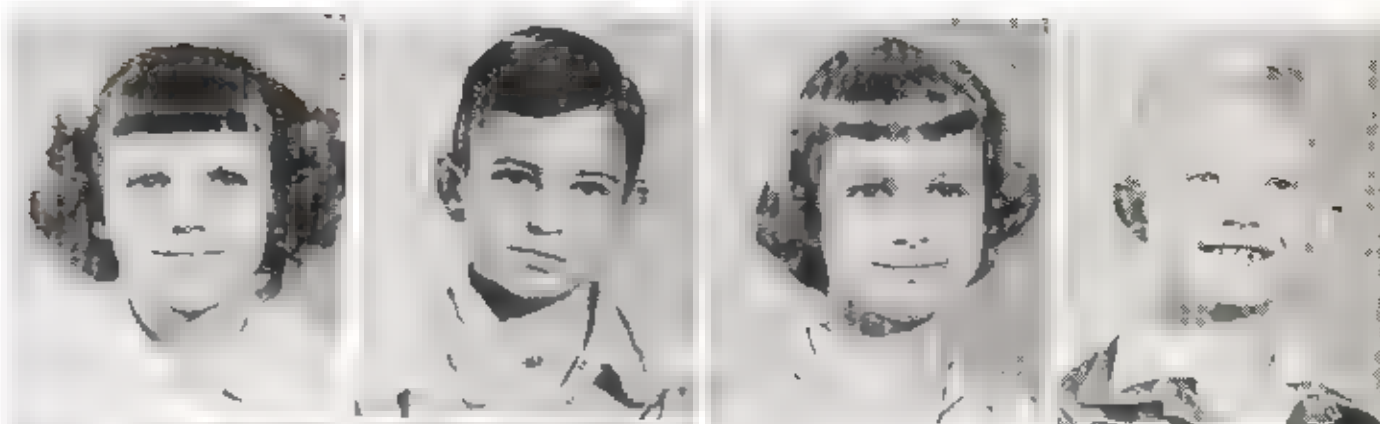
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Kyle Kevil
Beverley King
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Third Grade

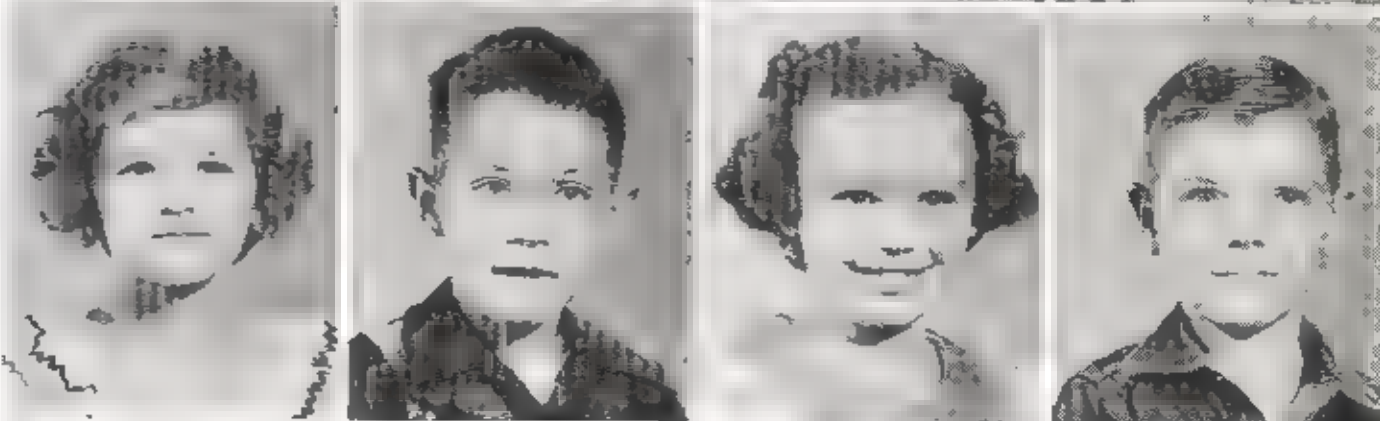
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Susanne Philliber



Sandra Proffitt
Richard Ray
Nancy Rogers
Mac Sibley



Kenneth Springer
Gloria Tidwell
Tommy Turner
James West



Margaret White
Marcia Williams
Orval Lee Woodley
Robbie Wortman



Fourth Grade



James Barksdale
Ynasio Bernal
Michael Briggs
Betty Bryant



Jean Buster
Patsy Cavender
James Childs
Jerry Cox



Harold Curts
Charles Davis
Leslie Faulkner
Robert Fausett



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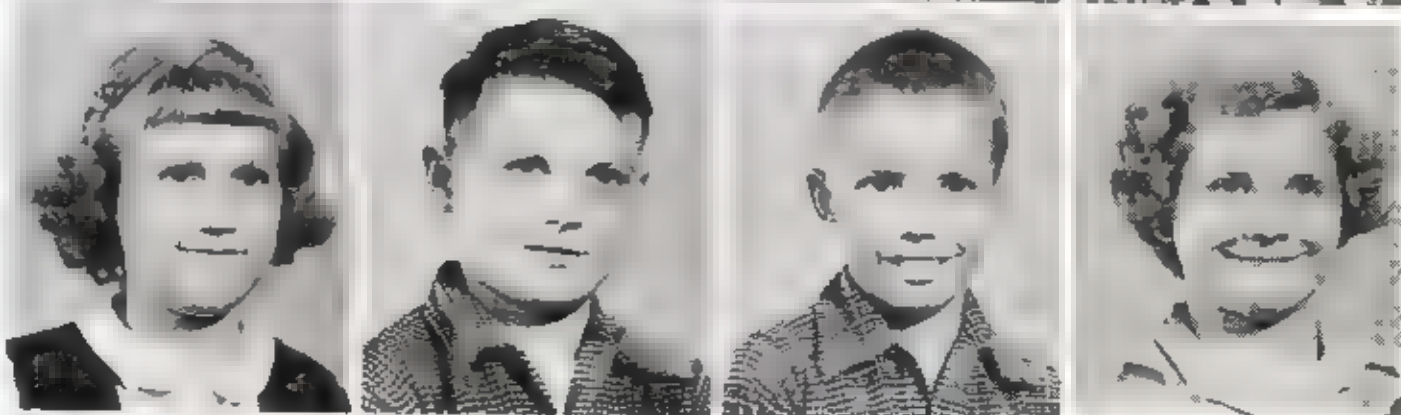
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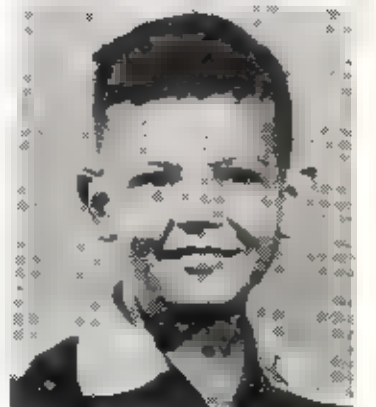
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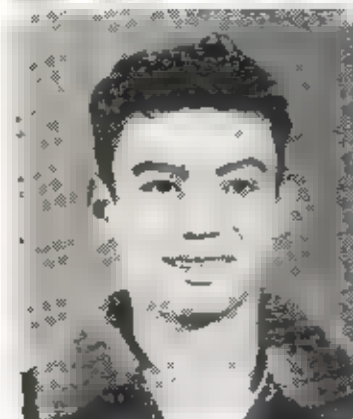
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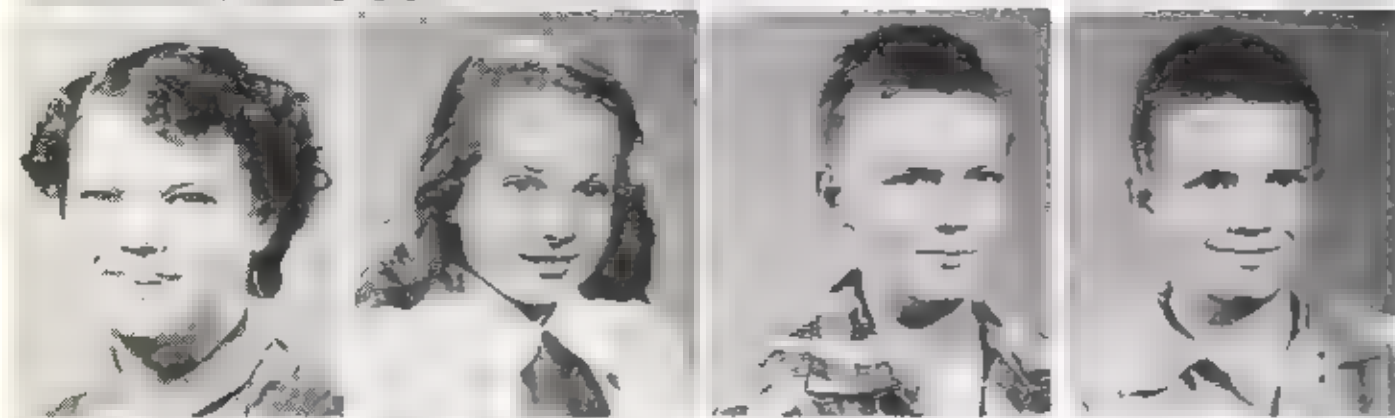
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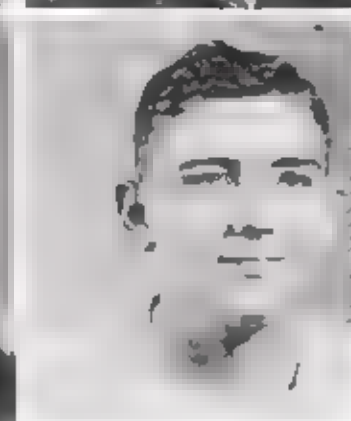
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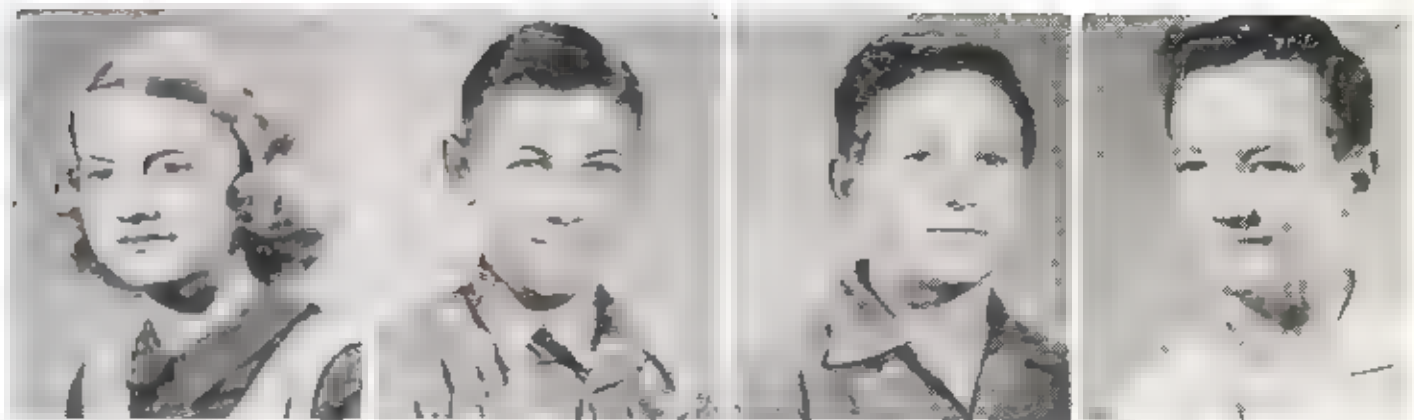
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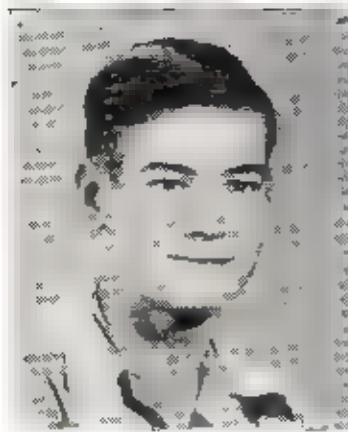
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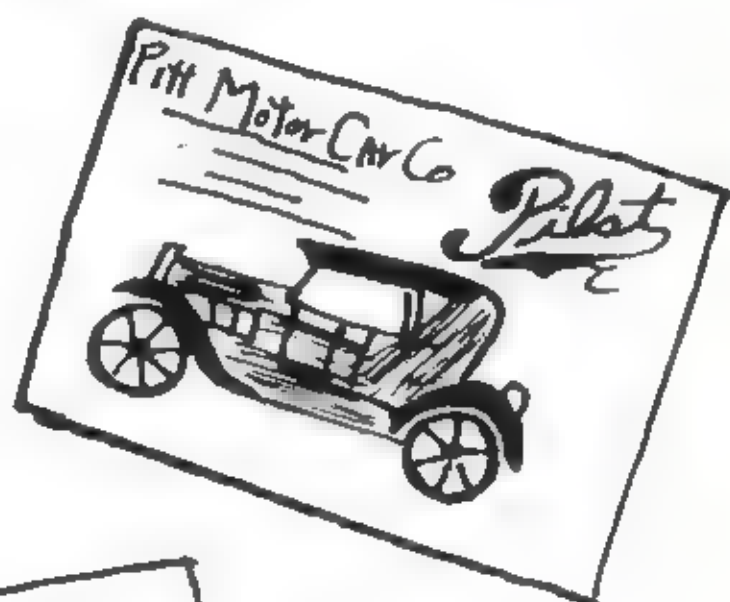


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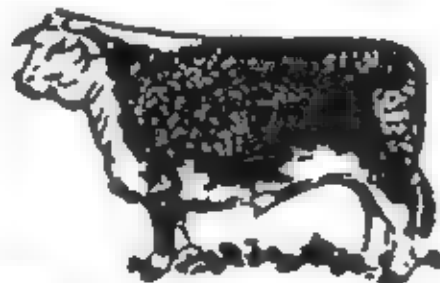


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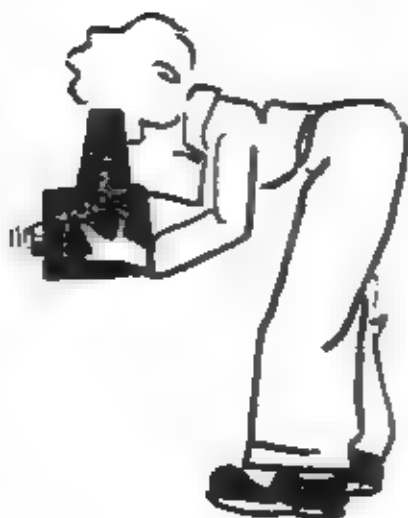
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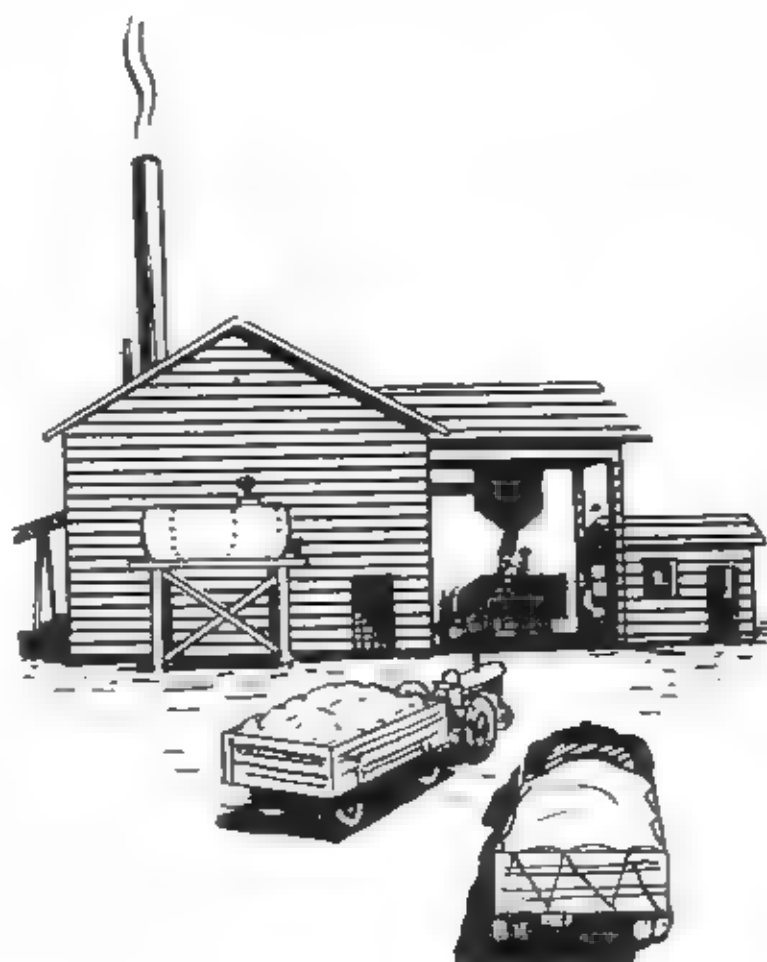
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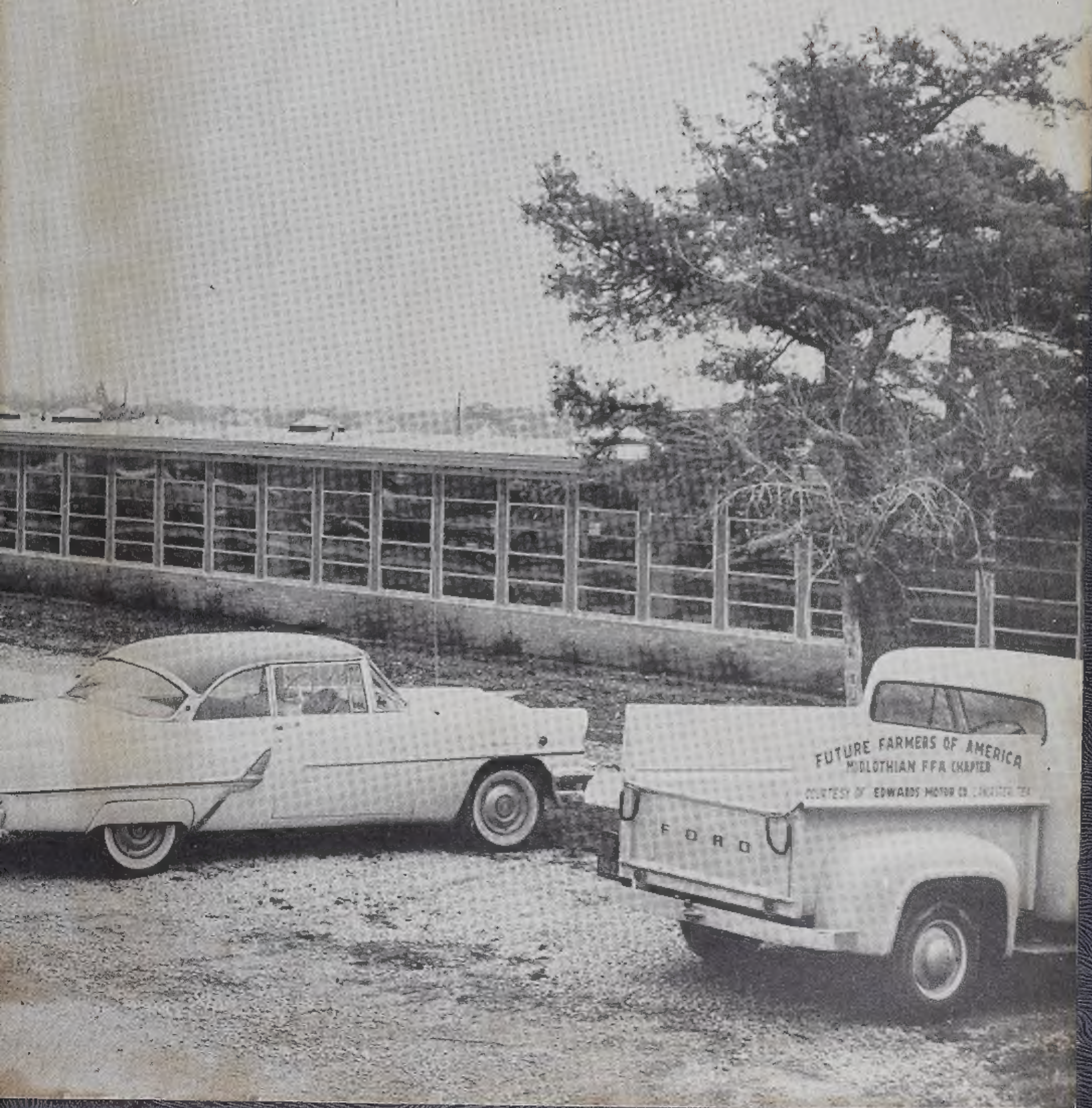
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